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MINORS BOUGHT 'BOOZE'

IN CONSEQUENCE THERE MAY BE LIVELY TIMES DOWN AT GREEN RIDGE.

COUNTY ATTORNEY DOW'S VISIT

He Visited the Town to Investigate, but Declines to Talk—Governor Folk May Be Requested to Take Action.

The good people of Green Ridge are up in arms over the number of drunks in that town in the past few weeks, and especially the great number of young men, many mere boys, who congregate from the surrounding country and proceed to get gloriously drunk from a beverage obtained from other than the Ream mineral well.

On Saturday night a week ago a crowd of a dozen or fifteen gathered in the village, from the surrounding country, and proceeded to fill up and have a "howling" time.

The following Monday they were arrested and taken before Mayor Bagby. They each pleaded guilty to a plain drunk and were fined.

Their parents felt indignant, and told the boys that if they would make affidavit as to where they obtained the whisky upon which they became intoxicated their fines would be paid.

The boys all promised, and yesterday they appeared before Mayor Bagby, and, in the presence of Prosecuting Attorney Dow, and each under oath, told when, how and from whom they had purchased whisky.

Mr. Dow returned to Sedalia last evening, and was seen by a Democrat-Sentinel reporter today in regard to the alleged liquor selling to minors, but he positively refused to say a word on the subject.

Asked if warrants would be issued for the parties who are alleged to have sold the liquor, the proprietors of two drug stores at Green Ridge, Mr. Dow was non-committal on the subject, dismissing it with the statement that when he entered upon the duties of his office he had made it a rule not to talk in advance in regard to any case under investigation, and there would be no exception in this instance.

The Democrat-Sentinel was advised today that parents of the boys to whom liquor was sold had informed Governor Folk of the alleged violation of the law by the druggists, and had also informed him of the facts having been furnished to County Attorney Dow.

Governor Folk is said to have replied that if Mr. Dow did not take action in the two cases within a reasonable length of time the state would do so for him, in which event Mr. Dow may find himself in a truly embarrassing position.

Mr. Dow was asked if Governor Folk had communicated with him in the premises, and with a smile he answered in the negative, but was very anxious to ascertain from what source the Democrat-Sentinel had gleaned its information.

One thing is certain, the parents of the minors to whom liquor was sold are determined that the two cases shall be prosecuted, and in the event Mr. Dow declines to act, Governor Folk's aid will be invoked. That it will be forthcoming, no one who knows the chief executive of the state has the least doubt.

BILL FOR BEATY CHILD, \$30

County Attorney Harvey D. Dow Was So Advised Today.

Prosecuting Attorney Harvey D. Dow is in receipt of a letter from L. V. Reid, prosecuting attorney of Comanche county, Tex., in which he stated that he had intended to accompany little Lorene Beaty, the eleven-year-old daughter of James Beaty, to this city, but owing to his inability to secure a round-trip ticket he was unable to do so.

Mr. Reid also notified Mr. Dow that his bill for caring for the child, coupled with her railroad fare and meals, amounted to \$30.

Burial of Henry Taylor.

The funeral of Henry Taylor, a negro, who died Sunday afternoon, was held at 223 West Jefferson street, at 2 o'clock this afternoon. Interment was in the colored cemetery.

Mrs. Ramey Growing Weaker.

Mrs. S. F. Ramey, collector for the Queen City Telephone Co., returned Tuesday forenoon from Hughesville, where she visited her mother, who was recently operated upon for appendicitis. Mrs. Ramey is gradually growing weaker.

Meeting of Russell Camp.

Russell camp No. 2065, Modern Woodmen of America, at last night's meeting initiated William Haslen and received the following members by card: A. H. Kemp, of Lookout, and Charles Yanow, of Lincoln, Neb.

Death of an Infant.

The infant son of C. L. Wheeler, of Hughesville, died at his parents' home at 8 o'clock Monday night. Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon.

ROAST FOR NEWSPAPER

PROF. LEE MAYNARD DAGGY DEFENDED JUNIOR WISCONSIN SENATOR.

EULOGY FOR SENATOR LA FOLLETTE

Says the Springfield, Mo., Republican Is About as Little, Contemptible Newspaper as He Ever Saw in His Life.

Another interesting chapter was added to the history of the war between Senator La Follette and his friends on the one hand and the republican machine on the other when Prof. Maynard Lee Daggy, of the University of Washington, speaking from the Chautauqua platform, defended the Wisconsin senator and paid his respects in plain language to some representatives of the opposition.

It will be remembered that as Bryan, La Follette and Landis went around this Chautauqua circuit, Landis delivered at nearly every town his address entitled "The Message of an Optimist," always with more or less direct reference to the attitude of Senator La Follette.

La Follette in turn would devote a paragraph or two to Landis and his optimism. The senator preceded the representative at Springfield, and the morning Republican of that town, stigmatizing La Follette in its headlines as a "calamity howler," published a long editorial in black type branding Landis in comparison to the other, after Landis had had his turn.

A few days later Prof. Daggy landed in Springfield. He is a fiery young man of Indiana birth, who has made good in the strenuous west. Speaking in his lecture yesterday of his experience at Springfield, he said, in part:

"The Springfield Republican is about as little, contemptible, narrow-minded a paper as I ever saw in my life. It had spent a week defaming La Follette. In my lecture I therefore took occasion to praise him for the work he has done.

"Afterward, the people of that audience came up en masse to assure me that the Republican did not represent the respectable republican sentiment of Springfield.

"The next day the usual report of the Chautauqua was missing from that paper; there was only a line saying: 'If there are any more democratic wind-jammers who want to defend La Follette, keep the Chautauqua tent standing the rest of the summer.'

"I took that as a compliment. When you hear the dogs barking you know you are traveling. And the time is coming when these republican newspapers which have been jumping on La Follette will have to eat crow."

Prof. Daggy illustrated this last point by recalling the history of Congressman Landis' own paper, at Delphi, Ind., which attacked Roosevelt when he was on the civil service commission, obliging Landis at a later date to say from every stump in his district that he had been mistaken in his judgment. "And he said it very gracefully," said the lecturer. The incident, or the interpolation, was of intense interest to the audience, and if applause be any token, there were more than a few La Follette sympathizers present.

HIS WANTS MADE PLAIN

J. H. RATHBUN WANTS PEOPLE TO KNOW HOW HE FEELS TOWARD HAYWOOD.

FOR HIM GUILTY OR NOT GUILTY

Whether He Had Been Convicted or Acquitted—Says He Would Like to Be Another Debs and Do What Debs Has Done.

J. H. Rathbun, local manager of the Bell Telephone company, and one of the most strident socialists in Sedalia, seems to think he was not correctly quoted in the news columns of the Democrat-Sentinel yesterday. In consequence he has sent a communication to the paper which in effect is that he is for Haywood for president, in jail or out of jail, on the gallows or off the gallows, right or wrong, guilty or innocent. Here it is: To the Democrat-Sentinel.

I had no idea I was talking for publication when I was discussing the Haywood case with the Democrat-Sentinel, or I should have made sure that I would be correctly quoted. I did not say that the socialist party would nominate Haywood for president in 1908. I said that I was in favor of such action, and I do not remember qualifying the statement by saying "if he is acquitted." I should have been of the same mind had he been convicted. As you may remember the socialists of Colorado nominated him for governor of that state while he was in jail awaiting the trial which has just closed. I feel highly complimented to be classed with such "undesirable" citizens as Hillquit, Debs and Darrow, and my hope is that I may yet be as valuable to the socialist movement as the two former and as eloquent in pleading the cause of the working class as the latter. We will grant that the trial was fair, inasmuch as it ended in acquittal, although the last interview given out by Gen. Sherman Bell intimates that it was stained in anything but a spirit of fairness. The generally accepted opinion is that the state failed utterly to make a case, and consequently the jury could do nothing else than acquit.

Whatever the reason may have been, the result is entirely satisfactory to organized labor and the socialists generally. It is plainly to be seen from your editorial that the verdict was not in exact accord with the belief and wishes of the editor. However, some were bound to be disappointed, and for one I am glad it was not the defense.—J. H. Rathbun.

A BELATED "NEWS" ITEM

It Came Hobbling Along and is Almost as Clear as Mud.

The Democrat-Sentinel Sunday, on the authority of J. W. McClain, passenger and ticket agent, stated that Missouri Pacific passenger train No. 1, westbound, would be run as a special from Jefferson City to Kansas City, while No. 2 would be run as a special from Jefferson City to St. Louis and added:

"Officials of the company are at present working on a new time card, and this mode of procedure will be continued until the card is completed, reducing the running time between St. Louis and Kansas City from nine to eight and one-half hours."

In the face of the above, just what our esteemed Second street contemporary is driving at in the following is beyond comprehension:

Sedalia Capital, Tuesday, July 26.—"The Missouri Pacific is running no special passenger trains between Jefferson City and Kansas City, as was incorrectly stated in a Sunday morning newspaper." * * *

Sedalia Capital, Tuesday, July 26.—"Missouri Pacific train No. 1 was run as a special Sunday and Monday, between St. Louis and Kansas City, reaching here at 2:35 p. m., instead of at 2:50, as formerly." * * *

Will Settle It Tonight.

Mr. Bartell, manager of a circuit of Chautauquas, missed his train last night, and was unable to submit to the people of Sedalia a proposition looking to holding an assembly here next year, but it is stated positively that he will do so tonight. The Business Men's association will give all of the encouragement possible.

Will Make a Western Trip.

Leopold Lovinger, salesman at the Bell Clothing company's store, and wife, leave next Tuesday for Musselshell, Mont., where they will visit their daughter, Mrs. J. A. Hoskins, after which they will spend three weeks at interesting places in Wyoming.

Who is to Blame?

The electric is light located at the crossing of Tenth and Prospect streets has failed to do its duty for several nights, and the people living in that vicinity are anxious to have it get busy again.

Initiated Into Neapolis Lodge.

William Muschik was initiated into Neapolis lodge No. 153, I. O. O. F., at last night's meeting, and one application was balloted on.

A \$25,000 DAMAGE SUIT

JUDGES GABE ALBERS AND C. E. MESSERLY ARE THE DEFENDANTS.

JOHN W. COOKMAN THE PLAINTIFF

Says That His Three Minor Children Were Wrongfully Taken From Him—What Is Set Forth in the Petition.

John W. Cookman, a day laborer of this city, years ago a prosperous farmer of this county, today instituted suit for \$10,000 actual and \$15,000 punitive damages against Judge C. E. Messerly and Gabe Albers, in the Pettis county circuit court. Attorneys Anamosa & England are his attorneys.

In his petition the plaintiff states that in the year 1901 he was sentenced to the state penitentiary for a term of thirteen years. Two years after he was confined in the penitentiary, so he states in the petition, the defendants, then judges of the Pettis county court, took his three children, Frank, Jessie and Ruby Cookman, all minors of tender years, and gave them in custody of Mrs. E. A. Coe, then secretary of the Board of Associated Charities, with instructions to turn them over to the Children's Home Society of St. Louis. In accordance, the children were sent there.

On January 26, 1905, plaintiff states in his petition, he was pardoned by Governor A. M. Dockery, and upon his arrival here he began a search for his children, but so far he has been unable to find any trace of them.

Plaintiff also states that if his children had not wrongfully and illegally been taken from him he could have provided a home for them with his mother in Indiana, but he was not informed of the court's wrongful action and consequently could not send them there.

Wherefore plaintiff prays judgment for the amount specified above.

Cookman was sentenced to the penitentiary on being convicted of murder in the second degree, having shot a man whom he alleged wronged his daughter.

The third judge of the county court, E. R. Wilson, was not mentioned in the suit, on account of his absence on the day that the court took the action in regard to the children.

SOLD 51 HEAD OF STEERS

They Brought \$6.75 Per 100 in St. Louis Monday.

Wm. Martin shipped from Green Ridge, Sunday evening, three car loads or 51 head, of 1358-pound steers to the St. Louis market.

At 10 o'clock Monday morning he was advised by telegraph that his stock had been sold for \$6.75 per hundred, which was more than had been expected.

Mr. Martin is an extensive shipper and has had many loads on the market this season, but he says the last shipment was the most prompt and satisfactory of any previously made.

Have We Wine Rooms in Sedalia?

Kate Twyman, a negroess, was given ten days in jail by Judge Rickman today for frequenting wine rooms, but there was no prosecution of the wine room keepers.

OBJECTION IS SERIOUS

MANY CITIZENS EXPRESS THEIR CONDEMNATION OF DESTRUCTION OF LAKE.

RATHER IMPROVEMENTS BE MADE

If but a Little Money Was Spent It Would Be a Great Benefit to the Entire City.

The sentiment against destroying Liberty park lake is growing every day in Sedalia. The people generally did not realize that the blow to civic improvement was even being contemplated until the news went out that the draining of the water had really begun.

The ordinance for the work was passed during the administration of Mayor Babcock. Mr. Meuschke, Dr. Fulkerson and perhaps one other member being recorded as against it.

The ordinance passed, however, but Mayor Babcock always saw to it that there was too much work on hand for the city force for them ever to reach this particular job. Thus through his administration and through part of the present one nothing was done, when, suddenly, without warning, the street commissioner was sent out to take the first steps toward accomplishing the destruction planned so long ago.

What the citizens generally think of this can be readily gathered from the opinions expressed in the following short interviews. There were many more seen, but for today those given will suffice:

W. H. Barnett, of the Flower-Barnett Dry Goods Co., expressed his regret today that the lake at Liberty park was to be drained.

"What do they want to do that for? Why on earth don't they do something to beautify the place? Liberty park is a pretty place and could be made attractive with small expenditure. Yes, I regret very much to see this lake destroyed. As I understand it, we are to have an abundance of water and why not maintain that lake out there and make it beautiful. With our new water supply coming on, the cost would be small to provide fresh water for out there and in order to preserve it and make it suitable for bathing all that would be necessary to do would be to jump gravel into it, covering the bottom to a depth of about six inches, and repeating this each year, would in a few years give Sedalia a lake that all would be proud of.

You can just say that the Flower-Barnett Dry Goods Co. is ready to subscribe \$100 to start a fund of \$2,500 to maintain this lake and help beautify Liberty park. It is a shame to destroy such a beautiful spot and I hope that this park will receive the attention it deserves.

J. D. Sicher—"If the city councilmen only knew my intention when I owned that park they would not do away with it. I spent \$150 to have a water pipe leading from the water works run into the lake, and the lake can be filled with water at any time. The park belongs to the people of the city and their voices should be heard before such radical measures as are contemplated are taken."

Prof. J. P. Goss—"I'm mighty sorry to see it, but I don't feel like expressing myself for publication."

L. H. Archias—"It's a shame that the city should do such a thing. Nearly every city in the state the size of Sedalia, and many not near as large, has a park with a lake, and we, too, should have a place where we can take our wives and children without being ashamed of the place."

F. E. Gibbons—"It is no doubt a step backwards. Every man residing in West Sedalia whom I have talked with, with the exception of City Engineer Zoll is heartily opposed to the council's action. We have visited nearly every alderman, and something should be done and done quickly, to preserve the lake."

E. E. Coddington—"There is no reason on earth for doing away with the lake. If they want to open Second street, it can be done without eliminating the only place of the kind in Sedalia. They could build an embankment that would act as part of the dam and run the street right over it. The ever-living well that is in the park could have a windmill pump put in and the lake could be kept full of fresh, pure water from it, thus making the lake one of the most attractive features of the park."

Dr. E. Nasse—"If the city can't afford to expend a little money in improvements at the park, then it is better to do away with the lake; but I, for one, would like to see the lake remain."

Albert Kahn—"I think the city should appropriate at least \$500, which fund should be used to improve and beautify the place, and let the lake remain."

Dr. D. T. Abell—"I am heartily in accord with the Democrat-Sentinel in its protest against filling up the Liberty park lake. I think it ought to remain and be made a beauty spot for all the children of Sedalia."

A business man who was selected to sit on the jury that was to assess benefits and damages growing out of

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SIX SHOTS WERE FIRED

AND AS A RESULT THREE PERSONS WERE WOUNDED LAST NIGHT.

NEGROES ARRESTED WHITE MEN

Latter Objected, When Trouble Arose, and in a Jiffy Firing Began, When the Assembled Crowd Dispersed.

Jesse C. White and Matt Hough, both well known Sedalians, who seldom have been in any kind of trouble, were arrested by Officers Card, Robertson and Redmon last night and "slated" for disturbing the peace and resisting an officer. Both were released on a \$500 bond, signed by Patsy Sullivan, J. M. Dohel and Henry Blatterman, for their appearance in police court this morning, at which time their cases were put off until August 8.

White has been employed as a caterer for Mr. Sullivan, while Matt was employed as a railroad switchman in the local yards, but he resigned today.

The two had formerly been arrested by Deputy Constable Howlett, at about 9:30 o'clock last night. Objection was made by White and Hough to accompanying a negro deputy. Howlett left the two, but returned soon afterward with "Billy" Drake, another deputy. Accompanied by the two deputies, White and Hough started towards Constable's Love's office.

The quartet was seen by many passersby on the streets, and an unusually large crowd of negroes and negroes followed the procession. At Main and Lamine streets several more negroes joined in line and by this time the crowd began to get quite noisy.

White and Hough, followed by the deputy constables and more than fifty negroes, reached the center of the block between Lamine and Ohio avenues on the north side of the street. As they did so White stopped, and, as the crowd pressed to the front, the excitement began.

Suddenly, six pistol shots, fired in such rapid succession that one could scarcely count how many there were, were heard. Simultaneously the throng disbanded, and every spectator took to the "tail end."

As a result of the shooting, "Billy" Drake was wounded in the right forearm, and Howlett and Hough were wounded in that portion of their anatomy that makes it necessary for them to take their meals standing today. The wounds are all trivial.

Officers Card, Robertson and Redmon were immediately on the scene and arrested White and Hough, who furnished bond.

There are several versions of how the affray started, and as they are conflicting the Democrat-Sentinel will not attempt to give other details until the trial of the defendants.

FIEND IS AT LARGE

Bodies of Two Women Found in New York—Both Were Strangled.

New York, July 30.—The bodies of two women with marks of a strangler on their throats have been found here within the last twelve hours. The police believe that one man committed both crimes. Neither of the victims has been identified.

ONLY ONE MORE DAY OF IT

THE SEDALIA CHAUTAUQUA ASSEMBLY CLOSSES TOMORROW NIGHT.

MONTAVILLE FLOWERS IN BENHUR

He Will Be the Attraction at 8 O'Clock Tonight—Attractions for the Last Day Are Away Above Ordinary.

Tonight at the Chautauqua. 7:30. Prelude concert by the Amphions. 8:00. Montaville Flowers, in his dramatic recital of "Ben Hur."

Tomorrow—Last Day. 10:00 a. m. Bible study lecture by Prof. F. K. Farr. 2:30 p. m. Full concert by the Carolinian Jubilee Singers. 7:30 p. m. Prelude concert by the Carolinians. 8:00 p. m. William Sterling Battis, in his impersonation of Dickens' great story, "Nicholas Nickleby." 9:30 p. m. The Vitagraph—moving pictures.

The Sedalia Chautauqua seems to get better and better as it draws near an end. Yesterday afternoon and night the Hungarian orchestra gave performances that fully justified all the praise that had been given the organization in advance. There are eight men in the orchestra and every one is an artist, while Messrs. Schildkret, leader, and Mendelblatt, violin soloists, are wizards with flute and violin. Nothing surpassing their skill has been witnessed here, and the playing of the orchestra under Herr Prof. Schildkret's direction is fascinating in its dash and perfection. The announcement made last night that this orchestra would return later this year on one of the local lecture courses was received with a burst of applause.

Yesterday afternoon, following an extended prelude by the Hungarians, Prof. Maynard L. Daggy, of the University of Washington, delivered his lecture on "The Gospel of the Commonwealth" to a much delighted crowd. Prof. Daggy is young and fiery, but he speaks clearly and coherently and has both knowledge of facts and earnest convictions, on moral issues. Aside from his interesting utterances concerning La Follette and the war on that senator by his own party's machine, which we report in another column, Prof. Daggy's lecture was full of wisdom, spiced with humor, and a genuine inspiration to hear.

This afternoon and tonight's prelude the Amphions, of whom the Chautauqua audience seems never to grow weary, make their final appearances. It has been a pleasure to commend repeatedly the work of these singers—Messrs. Hummel, first tenor; Warnica, second tenor; Shumway, baritone, and Brown, basso. Mr. Brown closes his connection with the quartet with tonight's concert, and will enter on business life. Supplying his place from among several candidates, the quartet will continue on the road, having already engagements for the coming fall and winter season. The Amphions have won their audiences everywhere, not only by their beautiful work in music, but also by their jolly good fellowship with the people across the footlights whom they entertain.

Montaville Flowers is so well known in Sedalia as a peerless dramatic impersonator that it is sufficient merely to mention his engagement for tonight, at which time he will present his dramatization of "Ben Hur," the same of which critics have said that it is to be preferred to the stage version with all the latter's display of scenery and mechanical effects. An audience equally large with that one which heard the Hungarians last night is expected to greet Mr. Flowers.

Tomorrow's attractions include the Carolinians, genuine jubilee singers who know how to bring back memories of the south. At night, William Sterling Battis, a dramatic artist who has given his life to the study of Dickens, will give his dramatization of "Nicholas Nickleby." Mr. Battis' art is fully equal to the great range of impersonation which the characters of the drama require.

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SOCIALIST AND ANARCHIST, ONE.

The acquittal of Haywood has given
those arch-anarchists, Emma
Goldman, Alexander Berkman and
Hippolyte Harel, an opportunity of
again coming before the public,
which they immediately took advan-
tage of by sending the president of
the United States an impudent and
insulting telegram of rejoicing. If
anything was needed to convince the
public that the leading spirits of the
Miners' Federation favored the policy
of cowardly killing, as outlined by
Orchard on the witness stand, indeed,
if any further proof that all three of
the accused were unquestionably
guilty of planning and paying for
the murder, not only of Governor
Steinberg, but of all the others, it
is the fact that these three blood-
thirsty, immoral and frenzied leaders
of a terrible and inhuman creed ap-
prove their methods and rejoice when
one is acquitted by a court of law.

If Haywood is not guilty in fact, if
his methods have not been those of
anarchy and death, if he was not a
ruthless, red handed, cold hearted
slayer of men, be sure Goldman,
Berkman and Harel would never have
sung praises over his release or sent
their discordant notes of exultation
from land's end to land's end, it may
be to arouse some deluded, half-wit-
ted follower of their hellish ideas to
some new crime against God, man
and civilization.

No, anarchists sympathize for none
but anarchists, and rejoice with none
unless the mark of Cain is on their
brow, their hands and souls stained
with the life blood of their fellow
man.

If, then, anything was needed to
convince the general public that
Haywood was undoubtedly guilty of
the crime with which he was charged,
it is the manifesto of these greatest
exponents of death and destruction.

The people of the United States
wait to see if something can not be
done to rid the country of these
characters, whose presence is a con-
stant and ever growing danger to the
lives of those who, walking upright
before the world, become shining
marks for the fanatical hatred or
such outcasts of the human race.

PROCEEDING ALONG RIGHT LINES.

The proceedings instituted by the
government against the tobacco trust
reveal, if the allegations in its bill
of complaint are substantiated, a sit-
uation in the tobacco business close-
ly analogous in many respects to that
in the oil industry. Instead of obeying
the anti-trust and interstate com-
merce laws, as has been pretended by
this concern along with practically all
combinations, it has followed the plan
of the Standard Oil company and en-
deavored to evade them secretly. A
favorite method of the oil trust was
shown to be the purchase of rival
companies or the formation of new
ones which were incorporated with
separate charters in the states in

which they did business and to op-
erate them ostensibly as independent
competitors of the trust. Scores of
stores, factories and distributing
houses were established in the large
cities of the country which posed as
independents fighting the trust. If
there was a competitor to crush the
result was accomplished easily by
lowering prices for a time under the
false but popular claim that it was
an anti-trust store.

Other unlawful combinations have
adopted the same scheme for estab-
lishing their supremacy. It offers
better advantages than the old meth-
od of openly consolidating and later
of absorbing rivals. It is the worst
form of trust evil that exists. It
forces competitors to fight in the
dark and it offers consumers no op-
portunity of discriminating between a
monopoly and an independent with
their patronage. It also effects a re-
straint of commerce and trade which
is exceedingly difficult for the au-
thorities to discover and successfully
prosecute.

It is to be hoped that the step
taken against the tobacco trust will not
only be successful in forcing it to
dissolve and inflicting punishment for
its illegal acts, but that it may mark
the beginning of a general crusade
against all combinations which con-
duct their business in the hurtful
and vicious manner employed so
successfully by the tobacco and oil
trusts. The fight with monopolies ap-
pears finally to be proceeding along
correct lines.

Geronimo, the old Apache chief,
says: "I'm tired of all my troubles,"
which goes to show that the old war-
rior is only a human being, after all,
instead of a human fiend, as many
have supposed.

Vice President Fairbanks helped
recussitate a Wyoming girl who had
nearly been drowned. Will anybody
throw out a lifeline to Cocktail Char-
lie in 1908?

Having improved the quality of the
five-cent cigar by selling it for ten
cents, the tobacco trust is also en-
titled to be classed with our philan-
thropic institutions.

If the Japanese withdraw all their
misstatements about the United
States they will have too much to
occupy their attention to think about
engaging in war.

In conformance with the long es-
tablished rule, it is noticeable that
many of the crops that were "killed"
during the spring are coming back to
life.

Mr. Rockefeller, having tried both,
advises men to buy land and play
golf. In the chain of success these are
two of the strongest links.

The Santa Fe has been caught
again. Now that there is no Paul
Morton to protect it, it may be pos-
sible to punish some one.

What's all this talk about the war
scare? Who's scared? Not U. S.!

TENNIS AT NEW CASTLE

Japanese Nobleman Takes Part in
New Hampshire Match

Newcastle, N. H., July 30.—Baron
Knoiko, the Japanese nobleman who
has recently taken up tennis and won
several excellent matches, is sched-
uled to take part in the tournament
opened here today.

He will bring with him and use his
outfit made throughout in Japan. The
racquet and balls differ materially
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TO BEAT THE "BOOKIES"

PLUNGERS USE NOVEL METHOD
TO MAKE UNUSUAL
"KILLING."

SCHEME IS VERY CLEVER, INDEED

New York Correspondent of the
Washington Post Writes as if He
Knew His Subject Ex-
ceedingly Well.

If you want to make a real swell
plunge at Brighton—say a stat of
\$5,000 or \$10,000—do not send your
recognized commissioners into the
ring to place the commission. writes
a New York correspondent. They
will be turned down—the slates will
be turned against them and your
money—or the bulk of it—will go a-
begging. In brief, you will be unable
to make the plunge under the influ-
ences which dominate the ring.

The ringsters, those wise knights
of the high stool and their salaried
coterie of hangers-on, know the an-
gels of the betting ring, and when
they receive the tip that Owner So-
and-So or Trainer So-and-So is bet-
ting on a certain horse down go the odds
and the bets proffered are refused
right and left. This system has
spoiled many a well-planned coup and
has resulted in the introduction of a
new device to hoodwink the bookies.

Did you see a supposedly intoxicated
sailor, his uniform cap bearing the
inscription "Dreadnought," betting
with characteristic sailor-like abandon
on Orbicular?

Did you also observe a horde of
uniformed "white wings" placing a
hundred here and a hundred there on
J. J. Murphy's chestnut horse?

Did you also sit up and take notice
when a few reckless "firemen," a
group of "coppers" and a delegation
of "laborers" played Orbicular to win
for hundreds at a lick?

Well, here's the yarn:

Those soldiers, sailors, white wings,
firemen, laborers and the rest of the
caboodle were just plain or gay de-
ceivers. They were rigged for the
occasion for the purpose of deceiving
the bookmakers, and the latter fell
heavily from a tremendous height.

Ask any bookmaker who was in the
ring Monday to show you his sheets
on the Orbicular race, and you will
find a losing account in each case.

Briefly, the knights of the high
stool got a severe stinging at the
hands of the artful ones who manipu-
lated the killing made on the Smile
—Orbed maiden's win.

Realizing that their commission
would be identified with a contem-
plated coup, the men behind Orbicu-
lar bought a few uniforms for strate-
gic purposes.

If a supposedly inebriated sailor, a
careless "white wings," or a plunging
"fireman" or "copper" rushed up with
a hundred or two hundred dollar wa-
ger on Orbicular, wasn't it quite nat-
ural for the unsuspecting bookie to
grab the dollars of the innocents?

And this was one of the biggest coups
of the present racing season. Open-
ing at 8 to 1, the odds against Orbicu-
lar fluttered from top notch to treces
because of the activity of the dis-
guised commissioners, and it was not
until hours after the race, when they
compared sheets and found that each
showed a losing return to the
race, that the usually alert men of
the gambolium began to suspect
the cause of their undoing. The in-
ebriated sailors, and the careless sol-
diers, coppers, firemen, et al, were
then identified with the Orbicular
killing. It is estimated that fully \$10-
000 was taken out of the ring by the
maneuver.

Only last week Charles Ellison sent
a detachment of "miners" into the
ring with heavy wagers on a winning
horse.

Thus for once in their career have
the bookies been hoodwinked. If the
fashion prevails there is no knowing
what may happen before the expira-
tion of the racing season, for it is
conceded that if no bookmakers are
left to cater to the whims of the
speculatively inclined racing will in-
deed lose much of its present popu-
larity.

Do you really enjoy what you eat?
Does your food taste good? Do you
feel hungry and want more? Or do
you have a heavy, dull feeling after
meals, sour stomach, belching, gas
on the stomach, bad breath, indiges-
tion and dyspepsia? If so, you should
take a little Kodol after each meal.
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olive salad, per bottle—
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HICKS THE GROCER

Hughesville Items

Hughesville, Mo., July 29.
Will Lower has finished threshing
his large crop of wheat which made
a good yield.

Mrs. Major Kidd returned home
Saturday from a visit to her mother,
Mrs. N. H. Gentry.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Anderson were
business visitors in Sedalia Friday.

Mrs. Jane Cartwright returned to
her home Wednesday, after spending
a week at the Sedalia Chautauqua.
Mr. and Mrs. Joe Clark and Mr.
and Mrs. R. B. Jenkins, Mrs. Will An-
derson, Misses Eary Anderson and
Sallie Spears, Mr. Spears and Ralph
Jenkins were visitors at Elk Lick
Springs Sunday.

R. B. Jenkins, a retired farmer,
was a visitor in Hughesville last
week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clem Jones spent the
day with Joe L. Cartwright Sunday.
C. W. Keller is having a fine lot
of hay baled.

Phil Kidd continues to make week-
ly visits to Sedalia.

Misses Nora and Bolah Barley and
brother, K. Barley, attended the
picnic at Hopewell Saturday.

The Gifford Sunday school will
have a picnic at Elk Lick Springs
Thursday.

Nobody Hurt.
A man whose love of long words is
superior to his method of pronouncing
them took up the morning paper at
breakfast the other day and began to
read about the most peculiar railroad
accident.

A train, having collided with a snag
of some kind, had described a few
parabolas in the air, turned turtle,
dived into a river, and otherwise up-
set the plans of those who were run-
ning it.

All the people at the breakfast table
listened to the account with breath-
less interest.

"What a terrible accident," said
one.

"There must have been a great
many killed," remarked another.

"No," said the newspaper reader,
with the printed account still fresh in
his mind, "there were no fatalities."

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ing ingredients as Oil Eucalyptus,
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BOX THERE IS A LOUD
EXPLOSION.

MINERS' CLOTHES ON THE INSIDE

Shipped From Virginia Evidently
Containing Explosive Unlike
Dynamite—Police Await
Coming of Owner.

St. Louis, Mo., July 30.—A power-
ful explosive within a small trunk
blew the box to pieces as two bag-
gagemen unloaded it from a truck in
Union station Monday.

The baggagemen—Warner Sparks,
of 3681 Finney avenue, and Hugh Gar-
vin, of 3399 St. Vincent avenue—were
severely burned, and Garvin's left
arm was pierced by a sharp piece of
stone, apparently ore, which was
blown from the inside of the trunk.

The injured men were sent to St.
Mary's hospital. Dr. McCandless said
both were seriously injured.

Investigation of the shattered rem-
nants of the trunk showed a miner's
cap, jacket and trousers and a small
book in Slavic characters, apparently
a religious work. On the flyleaf was
written in English characters the
name "Ivan Denister."

A document found with the book
was pronounced to be an Austrian
passport.

The check showed that the trunk
was forwarded to St. Louis from Ap-
palachis, Va., and reached Union sta-
tion on the L. & N. train arriving at
7:40 a. m. The accident occurred
nearly two hours after the train's ar-
rival, in the ground floor of the bag-
gage room.

Sparks said that an explosion oc-
curred in the trunk as he lifted it
from the truck, and before it had
touched the ground. He was burned
and dropped the trunk. A second
later there was a second and much
louder explosion. The pieces of ore
were scattered about, and one wound
ed Garvin's arm.

It was supposed that the explosive
was dynamite, although some main-
tain that dynamite would have wrecked
the granitoid platform as well as
the trunk, and would have killed
everyone standing near.

The trunk was a cheap sort, riveted
with sheetiron bands.

A policeman was stationed at the
baggage counter, to arrest any claim-
ant who might appear with a tag the
duplicate of that on the trunk.

HAPPENED IN MINNEAPOLIS.

Henry Got Rid of the Dogs in Short
Order.

Mr. Nelson, who was much annoyed
by stray dogs baying bones in his
garden at Linden Hills, secured a
lion while he was in Europe, paying
\$287.50 for a rather weather-beaten
king of beasts, but one that was guar-
anteed in every respect. The lion be-
came a great pet on the way over and
came to know his master's voice and
obey it. Its name was Henry.

Arrived at Linden Hills, Mr. Nelson
let Henry out into the back yard and
simply waited.

At 7:30 on the first morning a New-
foundland dog as large as a small
garage walked into the yard to step
on the flower beds as usual and to tip
over the garbage can. The lion saw
the dog enter the yard and the dog
just barely saw the lion.

"Crunch!"
That was all. It was the sound
made by Henry eating the dog. At
8:10 a monster bulldog smelled his
way into the garden to rip up a yard
of soil among the petunias.

"Ki-yi!"
"Crunch!"

The bulldog had gone hence. By
11:30 Henry's score stood:

One Newfoundland, one bulldog,
four fox terriers, an Irish setter and
two plain dogs. Everything that came
into the yard collided with the lion,
and lo, it was not.

Mr. Nelson was so joyous over the
experiment that he could not go to
work that day, but just sat around
and felt good. In six weeks the dogs
were either all in or were avoiding
the place by going two blocks the
other way. Then the circus came
around, and the lion was so fat and
glossy that Mr. Nelson disposed of
him to the menagerie department for
\$327.75.—Minneapolis Journal.

Uncle Sam's Pasturage.

Uncle Sam, unlike Job, the rich
man of the east, does not own many
cattle and horses, or sheep and
goats, but he furnishes an enor-
mous amount of grazing land for
those who do have herds and flocks,
says the Wall Street Journal. The
total number of grown stock al-
lowed to graze upon national forest
lands during the season of 1907 in-
cluded 1,388,000 cattle and horses
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F. Marion Crawford, at a dinner in
New York, attacked spiritualism. "In
principle it may be true," Mr. Craw-
ford said, "but spiritualism as it is
practiced to-day is a thing to beware
of. I know a man whose wife sud-
denly developed a great interest in spir-
itualism. She attended seance after
seance at the house of a handsome
medium with dark, thick hair and
smoldering eyes.

"Her husband cured her, though. He
took to accompanying her to the me-
dium's, and at every seance he got the
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BIG "TRUST" MEETING

Directors of the United States Steel Corporation.

New York, July 30.—Much interest centers in the meeting of the directors of the United States Steel corporation today, owing to the persistent rumors that the resignation of President Corey would be asked for and accepted.

It is stated by the same authorities that Alva C. Dinkley will be his successor.

Corey, upon being asked in regard to the rumor replied that he did not have time to consider the same and that he was too busy with the strike at the company's mines and other matters to discuss it, but "guessed" he would hold his job a little while longer.

It is known certain members of the steel trust directorate have been seeking Corey's resignation ever since the scandal of his divorce and marriage to the former actress.

POINTS FOR SMOKERS.

Ways to Use Tobacco Without Injuring Your Health.

If you will observe the following rules you may smoke as much as you like without any harm.

In the first place, smoke a good cigar. In the second place never light a cigar the second time. The other rules are never to stay in a cloud of smoke, and never chew the end of a cigar.

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The Hickory County Fair.

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PHILIPPINE'S ELECTIONS

THE FIRST FOR MEMBERS OF ASSEMBLY IN PROGRESS IN THE ISLANDS.

QUIET AND MOST MODERN METHOD

There Will Be Eighty-One Delegates, or One to Every 90,000 of Population—Points to Success of "Nationalists."

Manila, July 30.—The first election for members of the Philippine assembly, in accordance with an act of congress at Washington is being held today. The election is progressing quietly by the most modern method and every restriction of the most advanced American order is being brought into play. The campaign which closed last Saturday was most vigorous between the two principal factions of the "progressists" and "nationalists."

Indications point to the success of the nationalists. The nationalists have fused with them the various political parties advocating independence and have made a united and enthusiastic canvass. Here and in other parts of Luzon they seem to have excellent prospects of sweeping everything before them. The opponents, of whom the leaders are mainly the governors of provinces and other officeholders under the insular government, are making a vigorous contest, particularly in the country districts.

The chief argument of the progressists has been that the nationalists have been planning violent measures and that if the people elect the nationalist candidates to the assembly war with the Americans will result. They drew harrowing pictures of the suffering caused by the former revolt against American rule. The nationalists denied that they would make war and denounced the progressists as "blood suckers" and "time servers" who were bought with offices and other governmental favors. They claimed to want to prove to the Americans that the Filipinos want immediate independence by electing nationalist delegates to the assembly, there to demonstrate the ability of the Filipinos to manage their own affairs.

While the political arguments have been going on the stump the excitement has been so intense that the Manila papers say "even the cockpits have been deserted." No cock fighting is permitted today and no liquor is permitted to be sold within about 175 yards of the polls. Americans in the islands who cast ballots at the election by that act lose their citizenship in the United States.

The election law under which the election is being held provides for the election of delegates to the assembly today, and thenceforward on the first Tuesday after the first Monday of November, 1909, and every two years thereafter. At the regular November elections, beginning in 1907, the governor and third members of provinces and the presidents and vice presidents of all municipalities shall be elected. But the municipal councilmen shall be elected half at successive regular elections, so that these hold office for four years and all the rest of the officials for two years.

A plurality vote shall elect. There shall be eighty-one delegates, or one to every 90,000 of population.

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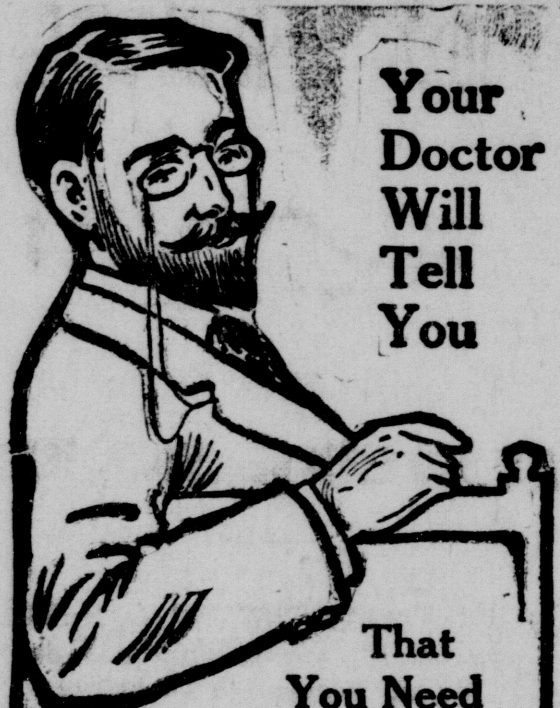
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lation and for every major fraction thereof.

There can not be more than 100 delegates.

Delegates shall be privileged from arrest, save for treason, breach of the peace and felony. Felony is explained to mean any crime punishable by death or imprisonment for four years or more.

No delegate can be appointed to any office during the two years for which elected, and no person holding any office under the Philippine government can be a delegate. Delegates shall receive twenty pesos a day for actual services, and also traveling expenses, stationery, etc., of first session.

Delegates must be at least 25 years old, owe allegiance to the United States and be qualified electors of the election district for which they stand. There are of male adults over 21 years old about 784,095 who can read and 529,749 who can both read and write. These are all christian and civilized Filipinos, according to the United States census. Of these it is estimated about 161,000 are qualified to vote. The American males number 7,000; Chinese males 40,000, and Spaniards 5,000. No one knows how many of these are electors, but it is estimated 10,000.

The acts of the assembly can not become operative until they have been concurred in by the Philippine commission, which will bear about such a relation to the assembly as is sustained between the American senate and house of representatives.

In October Secretary Taft will open the assembly in person. Thus the administration is working along slowly, but in good faith to advance the subject islands to the plan of self-government.

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The cost was \$125, and they are surely worth it. Every strap is of solid leather, the trimmings of silver and the hardware all warranted solid and strong in addition to being ornamental.

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CANDIDATES IN BOONE

FOUR MENTIONED IN CONNECTION WITH CONGRESSIONAL NOMINATION.

THIS IS "OLD SHACK'S" DISTRICT

Wm. Hirth, M. H. Pemberton, F. G. Harris and Kelly Pool Are Possibilities, Says the Columbia Tribune.

If reports are true the congressional bee is buzzing in the bonnets of two or more of Boone county's well known citizens, says the Columbia Tribune.

Prosecuting Attorney Frank Harris and Kelly Pool, of the Centralia Courier, it is said, are looking askance at the democratic nomination for congressional representative from the Eighth district. This makes a quartet of prominent Boone county citizens who are credited with being in a receptive mood so far as congressional honors are concerned. William Hirth, of the Columbia Statesman, and Morton H. Pemberton, of the five-mile fame, have been talked of for some time. The latter will stand on the record he made in the last legislature. If elected Mr. Pemberton may cause a five-mile law to be passed in Washington. This District of Columbia is just ten miles square and this would exactly allow for a five-mile expanse either way from the capitol building.

All of the gentlemen mentioned are vigorous, aggressive men that belong to the younger regime of Missouri democrats, and the four-cornered fight would be an interesting one. It is safe to say that some four would fly from the hustings if all four should shie their castors into the congressional arena. Boone county would be treated to a campaign the like of which has not been witnessed for many moons.

A county primary would, of course, be necessary to determine which of the gentlemen would set his face against Dorsey W. Shackelford, the present incumbent. The fight would then be between "Old Shack" and the candidate from Boone. Boone county always saves the democratic candidate in this county from the republican majority south of the river, and, of course, claim to consideration on that side on this account would be made. The other counties in the district are Camden, Cole, Cooper, Miller, Moniteau, Morgan and Osage, practically all of which are republican or democratic by a small majority that local conditions often change them. Mr. Shackelford is well known in these counties, and it is there the fight will be made. That it would be interesting no one doubts. Any one of the Boone county possibilities is an able speaker and would make it interesting along that line for Mr. Shackelford.

Mr. Pemberton has shown more inclination to make the race for the nomination than either of the other three gentlemen. He has made acknowledgment of his intention to run. The others have not indicated whether or not there is any special allurements in prospective congressional honors for them. Boone county will await with interest their decision.

Loaded.

The old man looked reflectively at the brass tip of his wooden leg. "Then," he said, "the surgeons took me up and laid me carefully in the ammunition wagon, and—" "Hold on, captain," said a listener. "You don't mean the ammunition wagon. You mean the ambulance wagon." But the captain shook his head. "No," he insisted; "I was so full of bullets that they decided I belonged to the ammunition wagon."

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DOG "TALKS" OVER PHONE

Recognized His Master's Voice and Proved His Identity.

The following tale is not from the pen of a nature story faker, but is vouched for by Patrick Coffey, stableman for a big grocery concern in Bloomfield. Coffey is the owner of a fox terrier which answers to the name of Rover, says the Newark Star. A few days ago the animal was stolen and Coffey felt very bad over his loss. He offered a reward for the return of the dog, but there was no response. Friends in Orange were told of the disappearance of the animal and yesterday one of the members of the family saw a boy leading a dog that resembled Rover according to the description furnished by Coffey.

He called Rover and the dog answered with a bark and wag of its tail. The young man got hold of the string and then the boy, who was an Italian disappeared.

The fox terrier was taken into the home of the young man and then Coffey was called up by telephone and told that it was believed that Rover had been found.

To make sure, however, the animal was placed on a high stool near the telephone and then the receiver was placed to the dog's ear.

"Is that you, Rover?" shouted Coffey, and the dog, recognizing its master's voice, answered back with a number of joyous barks.

Then he jumped from the stool and ran around the room, wagging his tail and showing the pleasure he evidently felt.

The intelligent little animal has been returned to Coffey.

THE DENTAL ASSOCIATION

About Two Thousand Delegates Are in Attendance.

St. Paul, Minn., July 30.—The National Dental association was convened in annual session here this morning. There are in attendance many notable dentists from foreign countries. About 2,000 delegates are present.

The meeting, which is being held at the University of Minnesota, promises to be one of the most interesting in the history of the association. There will be demonstrations of many advanced appliances and methods of work.

NO MORE CRUELITIES

Michigan Humane Societies Are Pushing Organization.

Lansing, Mich., July 30.—At the first annual meeting of the State Humane society held here today arrangements were made for a vigorous campaign of extending the work and of organization in the smaller cities and towns throughout the state. One hundred cities were represented.

"DICKIE'S" STUFF PUT UP

Society Leader's Goods and Chattels Sold By Sheriff.

Chicago, Ill., July 30.—Pursuant to a notice of "Sheriff's sale" advertised for today the goods and chattels belonging to Richard T. Gibson, familiarly known as "Dickie" in society, and his wife, who disappeared from this city, where his brother, Preston Gibson, author and polo player, resides were sold under order of the court for the benefit of their creditors.

The Gibsons, it is said, made a big

SUICIDE OF AN ACTRESS

Clipping of Riley's "The Blues," Told Pathetic Story.

Lying in a pool of blood with twelve horrible razor gashes across her throat, the body of Helen Bailey Trowbridge, an actress employed by the People's Stock company of Chicago, was found in her room on the fourth floor of the American hotel, in Liberty street, at 4 o'clock this afternoon, says a Pittsburg dispatch. Her death had been self-inflicted, and the motive was silently but eloquently told in that pathetic poem by James Whitcomb Riley, "The Blues."

The woman had but one cent in her purse. Beside the body, on a chair, upon her purse, was the poem, clipped from a newspaper. The paper was soiled and marked from repeated folding and had evidently been in the possession of the girl for some time.

Miss Trowbridge, who appeared to be about 32 years old, registered at the hotel last night. She declared she had come from Butler to visit theatrical friends. The woman rarely appeared out of her room and was very mysterious in her movements.

On a dresser was found an envelope, empty, but addressed to Miss Leslie Palmer, Brantford, Ontario. Underneath this was written: "My name is Helen Bailey Trowbridge, 2236 Forest avenue, Chicago. People's Stock company—characters." Among the effects found in the room were a number of theatrical papers and a diary. On the fly leaf of the diary was written: "J. G. Johnson, 2236 Forest avenue, Chicago."

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GRAND CIRCUIT RACING

Four Days' Meeting On the Glenville,
Ohio Track.

Cleveland, Ohio, July 30.—The grand circuit meeting opened at Glenville track beginning today and will continue for four days. It was announced that the Cleveland Driving Park company will ignore the recently adopted rule of the American Trotting association that all races shall end at the end of the third heat, even though three different horses win the heat.

The events for today are: 2:22 class, trotting, three heats, \$1,500; 2:13 class, the Thistle-Down stake, two in three, \$1,000; 2:18 class, two in three, \$1,000; 2:18 class, pacing, two in three, \$1,000.

Wednesday—2:11 class, pacing, three heats, \$1,500; 2:15 Forest City state trotting (closed), three heats, \$5,000; 2:05 class, pacing, two in three, \$1,000; 2:00 class, trotting, two in three, \$1,000.

Thursday—Three-year-old trotting sweepstakes, two heats; 2:17 class, trotting, three heats, \$1,500; 2:11 class, trotting, two in three, \$1,000; 2:00 class, pacing, two in three, \$1,000.

Friday—2:19 class, trotting, three heats, \$1,500; 2:15 class, pacing, three heats, \$1,500; free-for-all, pacing, two in three, \$1,000; 2:00 class, trotting, two in three, \$1,000.

AMATEUR GOLF PLAYERS

Tournament Under the Auspices of
the New York Golf Club.

New York, July 30.—Today witnessed the opening of the amateur golf tournament at Van Courtland park under the auspices of the New York Golf club. Six medals are being played for today—a gold, silver and bronze medal for the three best gross scores, and a gold, silver and bronze medal for the three best net scores.

The play is on the handicap basis. All persons are eligible within the metropolitan district and the championship of New York will be played for on the handicap basis.

STABBED BROTHER FATALLY

A Duel With Knives in Bell County,
Kentucky.

William Brown stabbed and fatally injured his brother Henry in a duel with knives at Excelsior, Bell county, today, says a Pineville, Ky., dispatch. Henry Brown, after having received a mortal wound from the knife in his brother's hand, walked half a mile to his home, secured a shotgun, and

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PROTESTED.

COL. J. A. KNOTT STANDS ALONE

What Has Resulted Because the
Other Railway Commissioners
Have Raised the Ban On
the Safety Schedule.

"The board of railway commissioners will not adjourn the present session, will not leave St. Louis, until final action has been taken upon the complaints made against the Missouri Pacific railway company, alleging a rotten and unsafe condition of the company's tracks in Missouri."

This statement was made at Monday afternoon's session of the board, when J. I. Sheppard, secretary of the National Union of Railway Trackmen, protested against the month's delay that has occurred since the filing of the complaint and the inspection of tracks by the board and members, says Monday afternoon's Post-Dispatch.

The discussion developed evidence of a sharp difference of opinion concerning the matter between Chairman Knott on the one hand and Members Weightman and Oglesby on the other. Chairman Knott, according to statements made, contended for a full report and immediate action following the board's track inspection four weeks ago, while the other members, at the solicitation of the Missouri Pacific officials, had consented to "hold up" action and delay the issuance of orders until a "reinspection" might be made, following some repairs made by the company on certain parts of its line.

Upon this point Secretary Sheppard declared to the board on Monday that he then had in his pocket "orders" issued by the company to trackmen directing them to cover up bad spots in the track, for the purpose of "making" a "second inspection" that would "find everything right."

The threatened tension between the members was somewhat relaxed by the agreement reached to consider and dispose of the case immediately after the conclusion of the express rates hearing.

The action of a majority of the board in canceling its unanimous order limiting the speed of Missouri Pacific trains on certain alleged dangerous sections of its roadbed has caused a sharp split among the members.

Chairman John A. Knott is arrayed against Commissioners Frank A. Weightman and H. R. Oglesby, who, declares the chairman, had no justification in voting to rescind the order.

"On the inspection trip," says Mr. Knott, "I found that in almost no instance had the improvements ordered by the board been made. The condition was almost precisely the same as that which caused us to order a speed limit. In most places the repairs had not even been begun and in very few instances are the materials for repairs even on the ground. This unjustified right-about-face has placed the board in a false light before the public."

Mr. Weightman, on the other hand, declares that the company is doing the best it can to comply with the board's orders, and that apparent failures to do so are due to inability to obtain materials and labor.

"Mr. Knott even refused to complete the tour of inspection with us," said Weightman. "He is trying to be elected chairman of the board and is trying to run it for that end."

A proposed reduction in express rates and the allegation that the roadbed of the Missouri Pacific railway was unsafe were the two principal things considered by the railway and warehouse commissioners of Missouri, who met Monday in the Jefferson hotel.

Some time ago the commissioners submitted to the express companies doing business in Missouri a schedule of rates which was considerably below those now charged. The companies declared the proposed rates were too low.

Representatives of every company doing business within the state are here to protest against lowering the rates.

Traffic Manager Ludlow of the Wells-Fargo company was the only witness heard at the morning session. He produced a tabulated statement of the earnings and operating expenses of the company and said that since the former reductions of 15 per cent in rates made by the board two years ago, the company had not made any net profits on state business.

The operating charges, Ludlow

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said, had been largely increased. The reduction in rates proposed by the board, under present conditions, he said, would be confiscatory.

It is probable that a representative of the attorney general's department will be requested to conduct the examination of witnesses by the commission.

FINGER NAIL SCRATCH RESULTS IN DEATH.

A short time ago you may have read of the remarkable case where a simple scratch of the finger nail caused death by blood poisoning. At first it was only an annoying itch caused by summer rash. This was scratched by the finger nails to relieve the itch, but the skin was torn open, the irritation became worse, and finally resulted in a fatal case of blood poisoning.

Do not scratch or rub the itch or irritation caused by summer rash, mosquito bites, hives, prickly heat or any form of skin disease or itch. D. D. D. Prescription, the best known remedy for eczema and all forms of skin disease, externally applied, will at once stop the irritating itch, soothe and cool the skin and permanently cures the itch or disease. Infants and children are saved many hours of agony and torture from the unbearable itch by a few drops of D. D. D. applied to the afflicted parts. Remember—the itch is instantly relieved.

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1 package Cream Crisp for.....5c
3 packages Jello, any flavor.....25c
1 pound bulk macaroni for.....5c
1 gallon vinegar for.....15c
7 bars Diamond "C" or Swift Pride soap.....25c
2 cans high grade (red) salmon.....25c
If you want any lunch goods come and see us. Boiled ham, dried beef, package cakes, olives, fruits, etc. We have a large stock of same and are prepared to supply your demands. Quality guaranteed.

BIGGEST MAN IN WORLD

WEIGHS 750 POUNDS, AND WAS
FORT SCOTT ATTRACTION
ON MONDAY.

A NEGRO FROM BEAUMONT, TEXAS

Is But Twenty Years of Age—Going to St. Joseph to Join a Side Show, Where He Certainly Belongs.

This morning at the Frisco tracks, where hundreds of people congregated to see the wreck, an object of curiosity was discovered nearer the passenger station, ensconced in a passenger car that sprung up as a cynosure for the hundreds, says Monday's Fort Scott Tribune. It was the biggest man in the world. He was "Baby Jim" Simmons, a negro man who weighs 750 pounds.

There are but few who will believe that any human being could attain such a great weight unless they perched to see this mastodon.

One glance at the monster, however, allays all doubts as to the man's enormous physical proportions. Every one who saw his massiveness went away telling himself that the negro weighed nearer a ton than the weight given.

Jim Simmons was accompanying W. R. MacBurnett, a theatrical circus man to St. Joe. The monster lives at Beaumont, Texas. He occupied two seats in the smoker and slept all the time from early morning until 9 o'clock, though there was a constant stream of people scrambling through the car to see him. Efforts to waken the negro were unsuccessful. He remained there, snoring loudly and breathing heavily. Finally the manager came through the car, cleared out the curious ones, and took his big one to the vestibule to give him an airing. A newspaper man was admitted to converse with the mastodon for a few minutes.

Simmons said he was 20 years old, that his parents were both small, although his grandparents' each weighed over the 300 mark. He says he does not eat or drink any more than the average sized man and that he enjoys the best of health, his heart behaving in a most satisfactory manner. He is but 60 inches tall and is "further around than up and down," to use a small boy's expression. There is no doubt but this man is one of the most gigantic human beings that ever lived.

FORGOT HIS SANDBAG

Aerial Navigator Had a Thrilling Time at Coshocton.

Coshocton, Ohio, July 30.—Frank Fuhr, who, on account of his lack of avoirdupois, has been making ascensions in the Coshocton airship, of which he is managing director, had the experience of his life yesterday, when, forgetting the sand bag that is usually attached to the ship, he shot up like an arrow 500 feet high.

A gale of wind at that height caught the big balloon and sent it careening broadside. Spectators held their breath, but Fuhr, clambering like a monkey, ran out on the framework, adjusted the engine, and turning the ship's nose with the wind, soon had it under perfect control. He ran with the wind two miles, then lowered it and came back and made a perfect landing at exactly the point from which he started.

The remarkable part of it is that Fuhr is a business man, and, until three days ago, never had a thought of making balloon ascensions. "Fear-naught" Wilson, the legless boy, who invented the ship, intended to sail it, but he is too heavy.

THEY KILLED COUSINS

Staley Boys, Arrested Near Effingham, Taken to Kentucky.

Centralia, Ill., July 30.—Floyd and Isaac Staley, two youths, brothers, who were arrested at the farmhouse of their uncle, J. C. Dyer, near Effingham, charged with murdering John and Sam Reed, their cousins, in Fulton county, Ky., were taken back to the scene of their alleged crime yesterday by Sheriff John W. Goodard, who arrived from Kentucky.

The young men admit they are the parties wanted, but say that they killed the Reeds in self-defense and came to their uncle in Illinois to escape a family feud, and that they will be able to prove their story.

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MISSING PRIEST CAUGHT

Rev. Father Lagen, Wanted in St. Louis for Alleged Theft.

Chicago, Ill., July 30.—Word was received in Chicago yesterday of the arrest in Paris of Rev. Vincent Joseph Lagen, the Polish priest who disappeared from this city three years ago while being searched for by the police in connection with the arrest of his four sisters.

Lagen is also wanted in St. Louis, where he went from Chicago, on a charge of having absconded with \$6,000 belonging to the parishioners of an independent Polish church which he started there.

The priest was known in St. Louis as Father de Lagen. He had charge of the "Independent Catholic Church," 829 North Seventh street. He disappeared from this city several months ago, and coincident with his departure, angry parishioners complained to the police that \$6,000 funds for the building of a new church had disappeared.

The parishioners became so agitated over the affair that they descended in a mass upon the little church and despoiled it of its entire contents, appropriating furniture, organ and pictures from the walls.

WILL WED A GRANT

Only Daughter of Secretary Root Engaged to Grandson of Gen. Grant.

Washington, July 30.—Announcement was made today of the engagement of Miss Edith Root, only daughter of Secretary and Mrs. Elihu Root, to Lieut. Ulysses S. Grant, third, U. S. A., son of Major General Frederick Dent Grant. The wedding will probably occur early in the coming autumn.

JACOB RIIS MARRIED

Famous Friend of President Roosevelt Weds His Secretary.

Ipswich, Mass., July 30.—Jacob A. Riis, the famous author and settlement worker, and friend of President Roosevelt, was quietly married here yesterday to Miss Mary A. Phillips, of St. Louis, his former secretary.

THE WEATHER.

Fair tonight and Wednesday; slight temperature changes.

THE LODGES

Tribe of Ben Hur.

Sedalia court No. 39, Tribe of Ben Hur, will meet every Wednesday evening in regular session in hall over the Sedalia Drug Co., corner Second and Ohio streets. Visiting members cordially invited.

H. E. BARNUM, Chief.

J. B. HOLDNER, Scribe.

"CHINNING" THE CONDUCTOR

When the Cleveland, Ohio, Car Killed An Aged Couple.

Nelson C. Brewer, aged 70, and his wife, aged 75, were killed while riding in their automobile late this afternoon, says a Cleveland, Ohio, dispatch.

They were going along Detroit avenue, when a fast Lake Shore electric car struck the little electric runabout, smashing it to pieces and so badly injuring Brewer and his wife that they died before the ambulance could get them to St. John's hospital, but a short distance away.

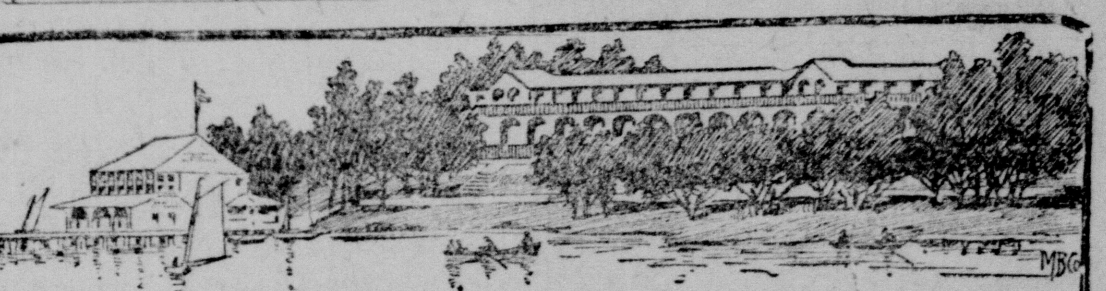
Brewer was a prominent banker, manufacturer and real estate man, reputed to be worth over \$1,000,000.

It is claimed that two men were in the vestibule talking to the motorman when the crash came, and the company is making an investigation.

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Woman Lost \$15 Today.
Miss Emma Edding, of 308 Boonville street, lost \$15 today—a \$10 bill and a \$5 bill.

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Your free choice of hundreds of Men's Suits formerly \$13.50 & \$15, Clearing Sale Price..... **\$11.95**

Your free choice of hundreds of Men's Suits formerly \$16.50, \$18, \$20, Clearing Sale Price.. **\$15.95**

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A WILD MAN CAPTURED

Body Covered With Black Hair and Eats Grass Like a Cow.
St. Charles, Mo., July 30.—Sheriff Hines and a posse captured a wild man on Dardenne island, in the Mississippi river, yesterday afternoon. He was lying in the river with only his head above water.
He was perfectly nude, over 6 feet tall, and weighs 225 pounds. He eats grass like a cow and appears more animal than human.
The man is insane beyond recovery, and nothing is known regarding his past history.

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PERSONALS

Drink Sweet Springs water.
Mrs. Will Evans is here today visiting.
S. D. McGinley went to Mexico today.
Walter Ballard went to Windsor today.
Harry Decker went to Boonville today.
W. T. Wallace went to Hannibal today.
F. F. Combs went to Camp Branch today.
J. W. Hudson is up from Windsor today.
Will Lee went to Boonville this morning.
W. J. Sears went to Cole Camp this afternoon.
I. B. Walker returned this morning from Boonville.
J. E. Clark went to Cole Camp today on business.
Will Jolly sold groceries at points west of here today.
S. R. Payne went to Lamonte this morning on business.
C. I. Wilson went to Lamonte this morning on business.
Miss Mary Estill returned from Boonville this morning.
M. D. Burr left this morning for a business visit at Chicago.
Dr. J. D. Powell is a business visitor from Longwood today.
C. H. Evans and A. W. Wimer are down from Lamonte today.
Harold Cundiff, of Omaha, Neb., is visiting J. Waldman's family.
Miss May Robbins, of St. Louis, is visiting Miss Daisy Fowler.
Peter Meyers made a business visit at points east of here today.
B. F. Hughes left this morning for Higginsville to attend the fair.
Attorney G. W. Barnett made a business visit at Cole Camp today.
Mack Looney left at 7:15 o'clock this morning for Butler on business.
McRoberts Messerly and William Powell leave tomorrow for New York.
Col. James Freeman and Joe Steehn went to Boonville this morning.
Mrs. J. M. Ritter and Mrs. A. C. Miner are spending the day at Beaman.
J. M. Lane, a traveling salesman, made a business visit at Tipton today.
McRoberts Messerly returned today from a brief visit at Warrensburg.
Harry Smith, of the Bell telephone company, went to Smithton this morning.
T. F. Hall, a teamster, returned this afternoon from a visit at Great Bend, Kan.
Captain W. A. Fast returned on the noon train today from a month's visit in Colorado.
E. M. Gresham returned this morning from a two days' business visit at St. Louis.
J. R. McAllister went to Higginsville this morning to attend the Lafayette county fair.
Mrs. Fannie Mathews and daughter, Miss Grace, are home from a visit at El Dorado Springs.
Circuit Clerk C. W. Daugherty returned this morning from a few days' business visit at St. Louis.
Mrs. N. T. Bellas, wife of a Katy engineer, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Bellas, and son, of Phoenix, Ariz., left this morning for a few days' visit at Rich Hill.
Sheriff I. N. Sprecher and Joe Dillard are at Higginsville attending the Lafayette county fair.
W. H. Howard returned this forenoon from a business visit at points on the Lexington branch.
E. T. Leftwich and T. T. Duncan made a business visit at points on the Lexington branch today.
Mrs. H. A. Daniels is in Kansas City for a visit with two sisters and two brothers of Mr. Daniels.
Mrs. Teresa Avansino and daughter, Louisa, went to Kansas City this afternoon to visit friends.
Miss Till Rankin went to St. Louis last night for a day's visit, and will return on the flyer tonight.
Mrs. Jacob Eiseman and family today removed from 806 East Fifth street to 1012 East Fifth street.
Will Johnson returned this morning from Jefferson City, where he is employed by a moving picture show.
Tilden McMullin went to Lincoln and Cole Camp today, and Edward McCubbin sold coffee at Warsaw.
Mr. and Mrs. Lee Broadhead and the latter's sister, Miss Daisy Savory, left this morning for a four weeks' visit in Colorado.
H. B. Shain and son went to Green Ridge this morning. The former will return tonight, but the latter will visit at the Bell Hutchinson farm.
Miss Stella Mindlen, of Kansas City, who has been visiting her cousin, Mrs. J. Waldman, returned home last night.
Sylvain Kahn leaves tomorrow for New York to buy goods and to accompany home his brother, Arthur Kahn, who has been touring the old country.
Mrs. George Bichsel went home to Warrensburg today to visit relatives. She was accompanied by her sister, Miss Pauline Trader, who has been visiting here.
Miss Mary Livingston, of Galesburg, Ill., and W. H. Wendleton, of Speed, who have been visiting at Leeton, were here today, on their way to the latter's home.
Miss Kathryn Lower, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Lower, of the Longwood neighborhood, is the guest of Mrs. Fannie Smith, of West Fourth street, for a few days.
G. N. Arnold returned this forenoon from a visit on the Lexington branch.
O. D. Noble and C. E. Balding, of Hill's Business college, returned this morning from Corder, where they attended a picnic.
Mrs. B. F. Hoffman and children, Hazel and Frank, of Columbia, who have been visiting the family of Charles Hoffman, left this morning for a visit at St. Joseph, after which they will return home.
Rev. J. W. Ezell returned home to Fayette today. He was accompanied by Misses Minnie Rothrock, of Sweet Springs, and Sarah Burford, of Hughesville, who were en route to Fayette to visit Rev. Ezell's family.

KATY BRAKEMAN DEAD

David M. Miller Met With Accident and Died of Injuries.

David M. Miller, a Katy brakeman, residing with his wife and babe at 616 East Twelfth street, died at the Missouri Pacific hospital at Fort Scott, Kas., about 10 o'clock this morning, of injuries received in an accident.
Mr. Miller was about 38 years old. He formerly broke on the Sedalia-Nevada local, but recently had been running on through freights.
He left here last night, running with Conductor C. M. Ducker, and this morning, so reports received at the Katy telegraph office state, he was run over, his arm and leg being amputated. He was taken to the hospital at Fort Scott, where he died an hour later.
A number of Katy B. of R. T. men, of which organization deceased was a member, left here on No. 401 this afternoon to accompany the remains here on No. 4 tonight. Until they arrive no funeral arrangements will be made.

THE FAST MAIL WAS LATE

Due at 6:57 A. M., but Did Not Arrive Until 12:39 P. M.

Missouri Pacific fast mail train No. 7, due at 6:57 a. m., arrived here at 12:39 o'clock this afternoon, being delayed five hours and thirty-six minutes.
The train left St. Louis behind time, being pulled by engine No. 5527.
At Gasconade, at 4:30 o'clock this morning, the trucks of the engine tender jumped the track.
After replacing the tender the locomotive managed to reach Jefferson City, where engine No. 2363 was substituted.
The latter locomotive failed all the way here, hence the delay.

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FOUND THE COOK'S COAT

And West Liberty, O., Man Believed to Have Suicided.

Baltimore, Md., July 30.—A man supposed to be Lyman D. Cook, son of Judge A. Cook, of West Liberty, Ohio, mysteriously disappeared on the pier at Abbott's wharf, foot of Montford avenue, this city, shortly before noon yesterday.

The man's coat was found on the wharf and his hat was found floating in the water near by. It is believed by the police and the master of the boat on which Cook was given employment last Wednesday that the man committed suicide by drowning. In a pocket of the coat was the following letter:

"My name is Lyman D. Cook. If anything should happen to me wire my brother, Judge Cook, of West Liberty, Ohio."

This note was written in the same manner on three separate pieces of paper. The police boat Lannan went to the scene and dragged for the body, but nothing could be found.

The man boarded the sloop at Havre de Grace. He appeared to be about 45 years of age, and his manner and speech indicated that he was of a refined family.

A NOTE IN A BOTTLE

Starts a Correspondence Which Ends in Her Becoming a Bride.

Fairfield, Ill., July 30.—Twenty months ago Miss Jennie C. Jayne, of Jasper county, Ill., placed a note descriptive of herself into a bottle and threw it into Jack's Fork river, near Mountain View, Mo., where she was visiting her cousin. Saturday, as the result of the incident, she became a bride.

Henry C. Howell, a lead mine owner of Oakside, Mo., found the bottle, and, complying with the wishes expressed in the note, wrote to Miss Jayne at Newton, Ill., route 3.

A correspondence followed and a warm friendship sprang up, followed by a visit from Mr. Howell. They were married Saturday at Crossville, Ill., at the home of Miss Jayne's sister, Mrs. James Fitch. They departed at once for their home at Oakside, N.

I will mail you free to prove merit, samples of my Dr. Shoop's Restorative, and my book on either dyspepsia, the heart or the kidneys. Troubles of the stomach, heart or kidneys are merely the symptoms of a deeper ailment. Don't make the common error of treating symptoms only. Symptom treatment is treating the result of your ailment and not the cause. Weak stomach nerves—the inside nerves—mean stomach weakness, always. And the heart and kidneys as well have the controlling of inside nerves. Weaken these nerves and you inevitably have weak vital organs. Here is where Dr. Shoop's Restorative has made its fame. No other remedy even claims to treat the inside nerves. Also for bloating, biliousness, bad breath or complexion, use Dr. Shoop's Restorative. Write Shoop, Racine, Wis. The Restorative is sold by the W. E. Bard Drug Co.

Fine and Costs Were \$19.

Charles Simpson, a negro, arrested yesterday for disturbing the peace of Ida Bell, a negress, was fined \$5 and costs, a total of \$19 by Judge Rickman today.

Somewhere in or near this city, is a piece of property which YOU SHOULD OWN—which would be worth more to you than to ANYONE ELSE—and it may be advertised today!

A full purse never keeps company with a pessimist—and an advertiser with an ounce of enthusiasm cannot be a pessimist.

BEER CAUSED A KILLING

DAUGHTER RAN FOR A PISTOL, WHICH MOTHER USED TO SAVE HUSBAND.

THE FATAL ENDING OF A PICNIC

Herman Lenbers, of Cincinnati, Was Instantly Killed, While He Was Helping Others Beat the Groundkeeper.

Batavia, Ohio, July 30.—Highland Park, about three miles from here on the Cincinnati, Georgetown and Portsmouth Traction road, was the scene of an unfortunate shooting affray about 7:30 o'clock last night, when Herman Lenbers, of Cincinnati, was shot and instantly killed by Mrs. William P. Hazen, of Olive Branch.

Lenbers was a driver for a liveryman in the west end, Cincinnati. He was unmarried and lived with his mother at 925 Bank street. Mrs. Hazen is the wife of William P. Hazen, chief engineer of the Cincinnati, Georgetown and Portsmouth Traction company's power house at Highland Park. Hazen is also general overseer of the grounds when a picnic is going on. Mrs. Hazen is the mother of two girls, and the family lives about a quarter of a mile from the picnic grove.

The Crestview Mutual Aid society, of Cincinnati, had the park engaged for the day, and several carloads of people were there. The trouble arose over some beer that was in the ice house. Most of the picnickers had gone home and about a dozen were left on the grounds. Mr. Hazen had orders from the committee to take charge of the beer that was left in the house. About 17 kids had been left, and Lenbers and two or three others were trying to get into the ice house to get at it, although Hazen protested.

Words finally led to blows, and the picnickers jumped on Hazen, and beat him to the ground. Mrs. Hazen and one of her daughters, were on the grounds waiting for the people to leave so they could go to their little house near by when the men began the attack on Hazen. The little girl ran home and produced a revolver. Returned with it she tried to give the pistol to her father, who was by this time almost exhausted in trying to defend himself from his assailants.

She was unable to get the gun to her father because the men were fighting so furiously, so she gave it to her mother, telling her to hand it to her father.

Mrs. Hazen attempted to reach her husband, but was unable to do so. Seeing, so she says, her husband being worsted in the attack Mrs. Hazen shot at the men and struck Lenbers. The bullet entered one inch below his shoulder and took a downward course, severing the large artery and killing Lenbers almost instantly. He just managed to stagger about 10 feet before he fell dead.

Mrs. Hazen was almost prostrated. She claims that she feared the men were going to kill her husband and that she fired the shot in order to save his life. The men, she said, had her husband down, and when she fired the shot she was but eight feet from him. Lenbers, she said, was leaning over her husband when she fired.

RECORD TIME WAS MADE

By the Steamer to Save an Illinois Woman's Life.

Evansville, Ind., July 30.—Because Capt. Elmore Bowley, of the steamer John S. Hopkins, that runs between this city and Paducah, Ky., made a record-breaking run here and saved the life of a woman, his friends propose to present him claims for recognition to Andrew Carnegie and ask for a medal for him.

When the captain reached Elizabethtown, Ill., Mrs. Harvey Suit, who had been ill for several days, was placed on board and the physicians asked the boat officials to make the run to Evansville in as quick time as possible, as they asserted an operation on the woman within a few hours would save her life.

Capt. Bowley had his engine to turn on the full power of the engine, and the run to this city was made in the shortest time on record. The boat was several hours late when it arrived at Elizabethtown, but got to Evansville ahead of scheduled time. Mrs. Suit was at once removed to a hospital. She underwent the operation, and her life was probably saved.

Case Was Continued.

Albert Anderson, a negro, was arrested last night by deputy constable

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bes for insulting several negroes. He was to have been tried in Judge Clark's court today, but the case was put off, owing to the absence of the arresting officer.

BENNETT TO BE "CANNED"

Beat "Nig" Perrine for Place With St. Louis Club.

"Pug" Bennett has probably played his last game with the Cardinals, says the St. Louis Times. He was a star in 1906, his first year out. In appreciation of his good work, the management, it is said, gave him salary a \$900 boost. Bennett is having an off season. The fact that he is no spring chicken operates against him. Nobody at League park would either confirm or deny the rumor that Bennett was to go, but all the same the chances are that within a week's time he will either figure in a trade, or draw his release.

Bennett was a great favorite with the "fans" last season and his failure to put up his customary speedy game has been a keen disappointment all around.

LARGE ORCHARD IS SOLD

Chicago Firm Buys Up 1,200 Acres of Apple Trees.

Odesa, Mo., July 30.—S. H. Philgar, of this city, agent for Geo. Mid-dendorff & Co., of Chicago, has just closed a deal for one of the largest apple orchards in the state of Arkansas. The orchard contains 1,201 acres and produced 30,000 barrels of fruit last season with prospects of duplicating last year's yield. Just what amount was paid for this orchard by Mr. Philgar is not known, but apples this season are bringing from three dollars to three fifty per barrel throughout the fruit belt of Arkansas. This orchard is near Centrv, on the Kansas City Southern railway.

JONES SUCCEEDS ROZELLE

Kansas City Lawyer Goes on the Police Board.

Jefferson City, Mo., July 30.—Governor J. W. Folk today appointed El-bott H. Jones, a lawyer, as a member of the Kansas City board of police commissioners, to succeed Frank Rozelle, resigned. The appointee is an old friend of Governor Folk, they having attended Vanderbilt University together.

Tent Meeting Opens Tonight.

The East Sedalia Baptists will open their tent meeting at Sixth street and New York avenue at 8 o'clock tonight. Zeb Thomas will preach.

S.S.S. NATURE'S TONIC

Every one should take a tonic in the Spring; their systems require it. The blood has become thick and sluggish with the accumulations left in the system from the inactive, indoor life and from the heavy, rich foods of the winter season. The blood, being in this unnatural and disordered condition, is unable to furnish the body with the increased amount of nourishment necessary for the more energetic life of Spring and Summer, and the system suffers from debility, weakness, nervousness, indigestion, loss of appetite, and many other unpleasant symptoms of a disordered blood circulation. When the system is in this run-down and disordered condition it is not safe to take unknown concoctions, sarsaparillas, compounds, etc., because they usually contain potash or some other equally strong and harmful mineral ingredient, which acts unfavorably and often dangerously on the depleted, weakened system at a time when it needs gentle and natural stimulation to throw off the impurities and recuperate its lost energy. S. S. S. is appropriately called Nature's tonic. It is made entirely of roots, herbs and barks from the great storehouse of forest and field, selected for their purifying and health-restoring qualities, and as it does not contain the slightest trace of mineral in any form it is perfectly safe for young or old. S. S. S. acts directly on the blood, ridding it of all impurities and poisons, and restoring the lost properties of rich, nutritive strength so that it is able to supply the system with the healthful, invigorating energy needed to pass the trying season of the year. Its action is the most pleasant, prompt and satisfactory of all tonics, and those who feel the need of such a medicine will do well to commence the use of S. S. S. at once. S. S. S. restores lost energy, relieves the tired, worn-out feeling, helps the appetite, aids digestion, and adds tone and vigor to the system. THE SWIFT SPECIFIC CO., ATLANTA, GA.

THIS IS A SNAKE STORY

Guineas Hatched Out in a Reptile's Stomach.

Speed Mitchell has brought in the biggest snake story to date, says the Columbia Tribune. While cutting meadow Friday the mower cut off the heads of two mammoth black snakes. The largest was about 7½ feet long and the other nearly seven. Several inches of the head of both were taken off by the blade of the machine.

Holding the largest by the tail as high as he could his snakeship touched the ground, even with the several inches gone. Mr. Mitchell says they were as large as his arm above the wrist, and everyone knows his arm is unusually muscular.

He noticed a protuberance of the abdomen of both reptiles. He pressed on the bodies with his foot and seven guinea eggs came out of one and six out of the other.

Any snake will eat eggs, but the warmth of the bodies of these had hatched several of the young guineas and they were not entirely dead when they emerged from the stomachs of the snakes.

Mr. Mitchell says if it had not been out in the hot sun he believes he could have saved several of them. A while later the despoiled guinea nest was found with some eggs still in it. Mr. Mitchell says he can prove all of the above.

BEING PREPARED FOR TEST

The "Connecticut" Flagship of the Atlantic Fleet.

New York, July 30.—The battleship Connecticut, flagship of the Atlantic fleet, undergoing repairs in the New York navy yard, will, when she is taken out of dry dock today, be prepared for a trial trip.

The news that the big fighter is to have a trial trip after having been in commission so long comes as a surprise to naval officers. She is expected to leave the yard Thursday. The trial trip will take place off the Rook-land course, off Maine.

After her trials she will rejoin the Atlantic fleet at the target practice off Cape Cod.

Chautauqua Post Cards.

The latest photograph post cards of the Chautauqua can be had at the Thomas Printing Co., 115 East Second street. See us for high grade printing and view photography.

Lost or Stolen—One sorrel horse, light mane and tail, weight about 1,400 pounds, 16½ hands high; also one small dapple gray mare, with sore neck. Send any information to Will J. Crawford, Sedalia, Mo.

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INDIAN'S LONG SWIM

Struggles Nine Hours in Water With
Wife and Child.

With his daughter and her babe clinging to his shoulders, Chief Charlie James, of the Squamish Indians, swam for nine hours Thursday afternoon and night in the Gulf of Georgia, says a Vancouver letter to the Seattle Times. When he at last reached shore with his precious burden the woman and her child were dead.

At 3 o'clock Thursday afternoon six Squamish Indians were overtaken from their canoe far out in the Gulf of Georgia. They were carrying a woman and her child, and a man named Moore, of Leicester. He was very closely contested, so much so that bets of four to one were laid and taken on each side. The match, however, was won by Shipley. On measuring the distance it appeared that Shipley had hopped 75 yards nine or ten inches and Moore something more than 75 yards. The latter was to have run against Shipley on the same day, 140 yards for 40 guineas, but declined, and in consequence forfeited his deposit. From an English Sporting Magazine of 1807.

The other Indians lashed themselves to the overturned canoe and were rescued this afternoon. James will recover, but at first he was unable to tell the fishermen who found him that his companions were still helpless on the gulf.

HAND GRENADES OF 1812.

Old Time Ordnance Found at Fort McHenry—How They Were Used.

While examining the contents of the ordnance storehouse at Fort McHenry, Lieut. J. L. Holcombe, of the One Hundred and Twenty-eighth coast artillery, discovered several boxes of old hand grenades which are supposed to be more than a hundred years old, says the Baltimore American. The missiles are of the earliest make used by the United States government, and were probably placed at the historic old fort when it was first erected in 1812. Owing to the way in which they were packed the grenades had only the slightest trace of rust upon them. The discovery of the weapons recalls a bit of the ancient history of the country. In explaining their use Lieut. Holcombe said that the grenades were handled only by the grenadiers of the ship, who, walking out upon the yards of the old fashioned fighting vessels threw them into the ranks of the enemy. An explosion followed which created havoc. They weigh about four pounds and are shaped after the fashion of the bombs used by anarchists, and are iron and loaded with gunpowder.

A Great City is a Great Solitude. But little do men perceive what solitude is, and how far it extendeth; for a crowd is not company, and faces

are but a gallery of pictures, and talk but a tinkling cymbal, where there is no love. The Latin adage meeteth it a little: magna civitas, magna solitudo; because in a great town friends are scattered, so that there is not that fellowship for the most part which is in less neighborhoods; but we may go further and affirm most truly that it is a mere and miserable solitude to want true friends, without which the world is but a wilderness; and even in this sense also of solitude, whosoever in the frame of his nature and affections is unfit for friendship, he taketh it of the beast and not from humanity.—From Bacon's "Essay on Seeing Wise."

A Hopping Match.

A match, 20 hops for ten guineas, took place at Loughborough, Leicestershire, between James Shipley, of Nottingham, and a person named Moore, of Leicester. It was very closely contested, so much so that bets of four to one were laid and taken on each side. The match, however, was won by Shipley. On measuring the distance it appeared that Shipley had hopped 75 yards nine or ten inches and Moore something more than 75 yards. The latter was to have run against Shipley on the same day, 140 yards for 40 guineas, but declined, and in consequence forfeited his deposit. From an English Sporting Magazine of 1807.

Stanley's Cat.

It is a good story of Henry M. Stanley, after his return from Africa, when writing his "Dark Continent." He used to spread his reference maps on the floor of his room, and one day, after searching for a map which he much needed, he spoke to his assistant, who found it near the fire, with Stanley's cat on it asleep. He started to turn the cat off, when Stanley said: "Never mind—don't disturb the cat. I'll get along without the map until the cat wakes up." The cat slumbered on, and not until she rose did the famous explorer reach for his map.

Wit.

A witty man is a dramatic performer; in process of time he can no more exist without applause than he can exist without air; if his audience be small, or if they are inattentive, or if a new wit derails him of any portion of his admiration, it is all over with him—he sickens and is extinguished. The applause of the theater on which he performs is so essential to him that he must obtain it at the expense of decency, friendship and good feeling.—Sydney Smith.

Effect and Cause.

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Special to Democrat-Sentinel.

Chicago, July 30.—With the announcement that the break in the Colorado river has been closed and the Imperial valley saved, ends for the time being, at least, the most heroic battle ever fought by Man with Nature. The reward was nothing less than the homes of 10,000 people and five millions of dollars. Man, in the guise of a corporation, has triumphed, and the river, ages old, has been forced back into the channel from which it threatened to engulf farm, town and railroad. That hero of the Crusades who cast his helmet into the midst of the Saracen hordes and swept them before the red Cross was no more bold than the prosaic engineers who undertook to curb the Colorado. In this attempt there was only one precedent—failure.

Nevertheless, President Roosevelt's summons of last December was promptly answered. On the 20th of that month Mr. Roosevelt telegraphed to Mr. Harriman: "It seems clear to me that it is the imperative duty of the California Development company to close this break at once." "This break" was a gap a fifth of a mile long through which the river, at a depth of thirty feet, was rushing into the Salton sink. Imagine an enormous tea cup with a river flowing about its rim and you have the situation clearly lined. To irrigate the wonderfully rich loan of the cup, the river had to be recklessly tapped. From an irrigation canal, its waters became a raging torrent that only almost superhuman effort could control. Now the declaration that the river has been forced back into its banks and that "affairs at the river have been turned back to the California Development association" marks the triumph of the Harriman engineers.

Against a flow of water that had resisted every effort to control it, the Southern Pacific titans in fifteen days and two hours erected a dam containing 77,000 cubic yards of rock, gravel and clay. The locomotives of passenger trains were not too important to be called upon to help in this task. Men worked without ceasing for sleep—hardly for food—that the "break" might be closed. In money the Southern Pacific railroad, interested in behalf of the company that had loosened the river's bonds and as one of the sufferers from the river's havoc, has advanced \$1,500,000 to repair the break. In labor, the railroad company has spent the efforts of its most skillful engineers and of thousands of laborers, day in and day out, night following night.

The actual work of damming the Colorado was done in two weeks after the president's call to pick and shovel. The formal announcement was delayed only for the finishing touches because the Colorado has been "controlled" before this, only to break its bonds. Now there is a sixty-foot dam, four feet above the highest known water, and the settlers who discovered that the "Salton Sink" was an out-of-door paradise for the almost magical growing of fruits and vegetables have returned to their homesteads in secure faith that the river, their greatest enemy, has been finally conquered. The railroad will replace its washed-away tracks and trestles and it is believed that the Imperial valley farmers may safely trust that there is nothing more to fear from the river.

Fate of a Prince Albert.

When Commander Peary went on his first trip in search of the pole he won the gratitude of an Esquimo by presenting him with an ancient Prince Albert coat and extensively creased sombrero. Years afterward, when again in the north, the explorer received a ceremonial visit from the native, and, to his surprise, set eyes once more on the discarded vestments.

On the occasion of the commander's latest dash for the pole the aborigines took him aside and pointed to a rude mosaic. By its side stood the disused sledge. Its six dogs had been strangled to make an appropriate funeral. On the pile of stones lay what was left of the Prince Albert coat and the sombrero.

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LARFE WATER CARNIVAL

Under Auspices of Thousand Islands
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Alexandria Bay, N. Y., July 30.—The largest water carnival ever attempted was started here today and will continue four days under the auspices of the Thousand Islands Yacht club. Aside from the large pageant there will be motor boat and canoe races and trials for records.

Today there will be a trial to select a boat to contest for the big Cold Challenge races at Chippewa bay.

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TO ITALIANS IN PENN-
SYLVANIA.

TWENTY-ONE WERE TAKEN BY RUSE

Headquarters of Band Broken Up at
Hillsville, Near Newcastle—Quite
a Sensation in the
East.

Newcastle, Pa., July 30.—After working for months and spending thousands of dollars spreading a drag net that has caught men in three states, the United States Steel corporation has rounded up what is believed to be the worst gang of Black Hand assassins in the country. Forty men are now in jail in Newcastle, Youngstown, Sharon, Pa.; Plainfield, N. J., and Rochester, N. Y.

A dozen murders in the Mahoning and Shenango valleys are attributed to the gang. One, it is claimed, was committed by a boy of 19, the policemen say, who boasted of being a member of the Black Hand.

The arrest and breaking up of the gang were due to County Detective Creighton G. Logan, of Lawrence county, Chief W. W. McDowell, of Youngstown, and detectives employed by the Steel corporation.

The gang was firmly entrenched, having worked unmolested for years. Its headquarters were at Hillsville, a quarry town in Lawrence county, a few miles west of Newcastle. There are located the immense quarries of the Johnston Limestone Co., a branch of the Steel corporation, supplying its furnaces in the Mahoning and Shenango valleys with limestone.

Hillsville is known locally as "Helltown" because of its unenviable reputation. The quarries are full of caverns which afford hiding places that are almost impenetrable. From this base of operation the Black Hand levied tribute on industrious Italy's in the quarries and mills in the valleys below. Saturday afternoon, July 13, twenty-one men were raided at Hillsville and taken to Newcastle before their friends knew what was happening.

The time selected for the raid was pay day at the Johnston quarries. The paymaster's office is a little building and only one man can enter at a time. As the men came up for their money a stranger with a check list scanned them, and each, marked man would be told that there was something the matter with his envelope and asked to step into a back office. Before an alarm was raised twelve men had been inveigled into the room and handcuffed. Then a woman noticed that men who went into the room did not come out and warned the gang.

Finally all were paid off, but nine suspects were still wanted. A box car backed up the siding to the quarries, the doors opened and the local police made a dash. A house in the town was surrounded and the missing nine men were caught. The prisoners were rushed to the box car and a fast run was made to Newcastle. The men left in the town fled to the woods and quarries.

TAUGHT FOR HALF A CENTURY.

Long Record of Usefulness for Massachusetts School Teacher.

A headmaster for half a century in the Cambridge schools is the remarkable record of Ruel H. Fletcher, of the Thorndike school, East Cambridge. He has recently graduated his fiftieth class from that school.

For fifty-eight years he has taught school, beginning in 1849. He came to Massachusetts in 1852, taught school two years in Abington, two years in Quincy and then began his long service in Cambridge. That service was started in the Otis school, for which a new building was erected a few years after and the name changed to the Thorndike school, so that his service has been practically in the one school.

When the city of Cambridge erected two new school buildings four years ago, unknown to him the pupils of his school circulated a petition that one of the new schools be named in honor of the headmaster to whom they were so devoted. The decision of the committee to comply with their request was prompt and unanimous. The Fletcher school graduates its first class on Tuesday, and Mr. Fletcher will be a guest of honor on that occasion.—Boston Herald.

BOOST PRICES OF LABOR.

Natural Result of American Demand
for Dates.

For a long time the export of dates from the Persian gulf to America was in the hands of one or two firms. Now the field has been entered by others, and during the past season six concerns in Maskat were packing dates for American exporters. This compe-

How Much Do You Spend Every Year For Cigars?

You buy a lot of cigars in a year's time, don't you? How many of them are good and how many are bad?

If it's too much trouble to figure that out, at least you can estimate how much you'd save and how much more enjoyment you'd get if you could be sure beforehand that every cigar you buy would be a good one.

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Every box is extra-wrapped with glassine paper, sealed at each end with the "Triangle A" merit mark, assuring cleanliness and proper condition.

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CARRYING A SHOTGUN

Banker Came Down Town and Used
It on an Alleged Slanderer.

G. W. Bagley, a prominent young man, was shot and killed on the public square this morning by W. F. Howard, of the Bank of Andalusia, says an Andalusia, Ala., dispatch.

As Banker Howard stood over the body of his victim, with smoking gun in his hand, he said to persons who rushed up: "Bagley made a slanderous remark about my sister. No man can do that and live."

Just what Bagley said about Banker Howard's sister was not stated. The banker acted most deliberately. He came down town carrying a shotgun, evidently looking for some one. When he sighted Bagley, Howard walked up to him and without saying a word, shot him to death. Bagley never spoke after being shot.

Piles get quick and certain relief from Dr. Shoop's Magic Ointment. Please note it is made alone for piles, and its action is positive and certain. Itching, painful, protruding or blood piles disappear like magic by its use. Large nickel-capped glass jars 50c. Sold by W. E. Bard Drug Co.

Bought Residence Property.

Miss Lela Thatcher yesterday purchased from C. G. Hackett the residence property at 217 West Tenth street, the consideration being \$2,100.

Household goods packed, stored and shipped. Large moving vans; good dry storage rooms.—Huston Transfer Co.

Using the Insurance.

"I think," said the man whose commercial emporium had been burned curiously, "that I'll try my new yacht this afternoon."

"Ah, going to have a fire sail," commented a friend; but as this style of jest has to be seen in print to be appreciated it fell flat, of course.—Philadelphia Ledger.

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12 1/2 East Broadway, 4 rooms and bath, \$16.
509 North Quincy, 7 rooms, \$12.50.
601 East Tenth, 8 rooms, elegant

home, \$1800.
3-room house, \$6.00; 4-room house, \$7.00, and 5-room house at \$8.00 per month.

Will Sell on Easy Terms

These are new cottages in Wilson addition, just south of Missouri Pacific shops. See them. Man on ground daily.

James K. Kidd

315 Ohio Street.

ONE MAN'S TROUBLES

HE IS A MEMBER OF THE NAVY YARD BAND.

Fred Beversee, Trombone Player, Ordered to Pay \$36 a Month Alimony When He Makes but \$32.

New York. — Frederick Beversee, who plays the trombone in the navy yard band, is trying to figure out a plan by which he can pay his wife \$36 a month alimony out of a total income of \$32 a month. All the mathematicians in the navy yard and in his lawyer's office have failed to get any satisfactory answer to this hard problem, but Beversee must have an answer.

If Beversee doesn't pay his wife \$4 a month more than he earns he will be in contempt of court and some hard-hearted judge may lock him up in a little room so small he will not be able to slide his trombone.

Beversee has been ordered to appear in special term over in New York county and explain why he has failed to pay the \$36 a month for the last two months, and also to explain why he shouldn't be adjudged in contempt of court and locked up in some hot jail for the summer.

Lawyer George Hiram Mann, who has a big practice among the people attached to the navy, will be in court to help Beversee explain, and, also to make the court see the injustice of demanding alimony in greater amount than Beversee can earn. Beversee is able to prove that his present cash income is only \$32 a month, which he gets from the government for playing the trombone twice a day. In addition to this he gets a place to sleep and a daily ration.

Some of Beversee's friends have suggested that he raise the extra four dollars by selling his ration; but that would leave him without anything to eat, and, besides, he might run up against some hard regulation against disposing of a ration allowance.

Beversee's wife is suing him for separation. The two lived together quite happily until two or three years ago. They have been living apart for a year. Their son, who is a seaman 19 years old, made an affidavit a year ago, in which he took sides with his mother, and alleges that his papa was a very bad man in his treatment of Mrs. Beversee. Now, Mr. Mann is armed with a new affidavit from young Beversee which tells of the splendid qualities of his father, with whom he is now stopping. In his new affidavit young Beversee throws some light on

the effect of beer and not weather upon affidavit making; in fact, he makes it appear that the combination of lager and high temperature caused him to make the former affidavit. He says that after drinking beer all day in hot weather his mother induced him to go with her to her lawyer's office in the Pulitzer building and swear to allegations which he now declares to be untrue.

After Mrs. Beversee's suit had got under way the court ordered her husband to pay her \$36 a month. Beversee was able to pay the amount at that time, as he was playing at night with a big uptown orchestra in addition to his employment in the Navy Yard band. He is a musician of high class, and he says that he would be able to get employment outside now but for the meddling of his wife. He paid the \$36 a month up to eight weeks ago, when he found it impossible to pay that amount out of his navy pay.

FREE HOSPITAL FOR HORSES.

New York Society Will Found Dispensary for Them.

New York. — Plans for the establishment of a veterinary dispensary and hospital for horses whose owners cannot afford to give them proper treatment, have been determined by the board of managers of the American Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals.

Horses of cab drivers, peddlers and poor owners will be entitled to treatment at the dispensary for a nominal fee or free if circumstances warrant. Beyond the relief which the handling by expert veterinarians of hundreds of cases of brute suffering will afford, it is believed the educational effect will prove valuable. Instruction in the prevention of disease in proper feeding, harnessing and general care will be given to all who care to attend the clinics.

Nurse Elopes with Un Wing.

Easton, Pa. — Katie Sourwino, 16 years old, ran away with Un Wing, a Chinaman about 35 years of age, and went to New York city to get married. The Chinaman conducted a laundry in this city and boarded with his brother, who runs a Chinese restaurant, where he became acquainted with the girl, a frequenter of the place. The girl was employed as a child's nurse, and the first intimation her mother had of the affair was shortly before her daughter departed, when she hurried to the Lehigh Valley station and arrived just as the train was pulling out.

THE DIET OF CONSUMPTIVES.

Overfeeding Recommended, But Proper Digestion Must Be Assured.

Herbert C. Clapp, of Boston, writing in the Medical Record, says that diet is a most important factor in the treatment of tuberculosis. A consumptive is much more likely to eat too little than too much. Systematic overfeeding with proper digestion of the food are the accepted remedies. The food must be palatable and well served and the amount must vary with the patient and his circumstances. The outdoor air will enable him to assimilate large amounts. Milk and eggs are the best foods to produce fats, which are most necessary to the patient. The author advocates three solid meals a day, with lunches between of milk and eggs, about three quarts of milk and six eggs a day being taken. Fresh meats are especially necessary for these patients, but a mixed diet is undoubtedly the best borne. Meat juice is valuable. Pastry, candy, fried foods and cabbage should be let alone. Alcohol is not advisable, but coffee, tea and chocolate may be taken moderately.

Value of the Thumb.

"Solomon says thumbs up," because the thumb is said to be worth fully one-third the entire value of the hand. The different fingers are far from having all the same value before the eyes of the law. Much the most important among them is the thumb, for without it the hand no longer is a pincer, but merely a claw. The French court allows in damages 15 to 35 per cent. value for the right thumb and 10 to 15 per cent. for the left thumb. The Austrian schedule gives from 15 per cent. for the left to 35 per cent. for the right. In Germany 20 to 28 per cent., and even as high as 33.3 per cent. has been awarded. The percentage is based on 100 as the total value of the hand, industriously speaking, before the accident.

TODD'S LIGHT TRANSFER at Candy Palace, Bell 'phone 218.

A SHARK WAS QUITE VAIN

ATTEMPTED TO WEAR A BARREL-HOOP NECKLACE AND WAS CHOKED TO DEATH.

ATTENTION OF NATURE FAKERS

Is Directed to the Following Truthful Narrative Clipped From the Columns of the New York Daily World.

Nature fakers, attention, says the New York World.

Here is the story of a vain shark that attempted to wear a barrel hoop as a necklace and choked herself to death. Of course, it must have been a female shark. She was found dead on the beach at Rockaway today, having arrived at night with the high tide.

The shark was about ten feet long. Fitting closely about her neck was a barrel hoop and hanging from the point where her Adam's apple ought to be, if a shark had an Adam's apple, was a barrel stave attached to the hoop, like a pendant. Early arrivals on the beach state that the stave was branded "Oyster Bay," but this could not be verified, for one of these confiscated it as a souvenir.

The carcass of the shark floated ashore at a point near the Park inn. It was discovered by a man on his way to take an early morning dip. He spread the tidings and a large crowd gathered. In the crowd was a deep sea Sherlock Holmes, who knows all about the habits of the dwellers in the ocean.

"It is all very plain," he explained. "We know that sharks frequent the ocean out where the garbage scows are dumped. This was probably a social leader of the school."

"Sometime yesterday she encountered this stave and hoop floating on the waves. The idea of decorating herself occurred to her. She slipped the hoop over her head and had a reception, in the course of which refreshments were served."

"After partaking freely of the refreshments her shark ladyship attempted to remove the necklace, but discovered that it had become attached to her. Those marks around the edge of the hoop show where her maid and her husband made vain attempts to remove the ornament. Finally discovering that the resources of her habitat were insufficient to rid her of her decoration, she started for Rockaway. In the hope that Bill Devery might run across her and take it away from her."

At the conclusion of the lecture of the deep sea Sherlock Holmes those in the audience fell upon the remains of the vain shark and despoiled them. Commuters, under the inspiration of the signs they read every morning on the painless dentistry emporium across from the Atlantic avenue station on the Long Island road, removed the teeth. Others hacked off the tail and the fins. Various boarding house keepers were noted hovering in the distance awaiting the departure of the souvenir hunters, and various gastronomical novelties will undoubtedly appear on the tables of some Rockaway feeding places this evening.

An enterprising showman endeavored to corral the carcass for purposes of exhibition, but was deterred by a recital of the experience to a couple of amateur P. T. Barnums who ran a show consisting of a deceased shark at Coney Island some eight or ten years ago. Between the board of health and the exhibit they were driven into bankruptcy, one losing \$4 and a tent, and the other a straw hat and a megaphone.

Prairie Items

Prairie, Mo., July 29.

The ice cream supper given by the Ladies' Union Aid society at the home of Mrs. W. A. McNulty was a splendid success.

Mac Gorrell is still confined to his home with measles.

Little Jay Scotten has been quite ill at the home of his grandmother, Mrs. Lizzie Quisenberry.

P. V. Scotten and his sister, Miss Grace, attended the ice cream supper Wednesday night.

Perry Lewis has secured employment in the M. K. & T. shops in Sedalia.

Wm. McNulty, from Fort Worth, Texas, is visiting his father, W. A. McNulty.

Dr. Walter Warren made a professional visit at Mr. Mahan's last Friday.

Toilet Waters.

We have an excellent stock of imported and domestic toilet waters. In packages 25 cents and up.

Classified Ads

WANTED

Wanted—Girl for light housework, small family. 1302 S. Lamine St.

Wanted—A first-class buggy washer. Apply Palace livery barn, Fourth and Lamine.

Wanted—Twenty-five boys and girls, aged 10 to 13. Call Monday morning at 705 North Quincy.

Wanted—To rent for wheat, good land two miles east of city. Address Frank R. Fields or Morris Bros.

Wanted—Man and wife, without children; good wages to right party. Apply Menefee, 400 West Second St.

Wanted—State manager by eastern manufacturer; good references and some knowledge of music required. Call or address 219 West Seventh St. Sedalia, Mo.

Wanted—Young men to prepare for positions as traveling salesmen. Experience unnecessary; salaries \$100 to \$250 a month and expenses advanced. Hundreds of good positions now open. Write for particulars today. Address National Salesmen's Training Assn., Suite 325, Scarritt block, Kansas City, Mo.

Wanted—For U. S. army able-bodied unmarried men between ages of 21 and 25; citizens of United States, of good character and temperate habits, who speak, read and write English. For information apply to recruiting officer, 100 Ohio street, Sedalia, Mo., or 728 Main street, Kansas City, Mo.

Lost

Lost—Silver mounted cap of fountain pen. Return to Democrat-Sentinel.

Lost—Ladies' gold hunting case watch with A. T. P. on back. Return to Emmet Hurley, 815 West Fifth.

Lost—A young lady lost one five and a ten dollar bill on Ohio street. Return to this office for liberal reward.

FOR TRADE

For Trade—Grocery store for city property.—W. H. Beach, Hgenfritz building.

THE "DAGO" HAD A "JAG"

In That Condition He Attempted to Kill Entire Family.

Columbus, Ohio July 29.—Joe Papinio an Italian while attempting to wipe out an entire family succeeded in killing Joe Long and seriously wounding his brother James.

A bullet directed at another member of the Long family went wide of its mark. The trouble almost caused a riot in the vicinity of Vine and Armstrong streets, and had Papinio been captured he would have been mobbed.

The murderer, in an intoxicated condition, succeeded in making his escape. Papinio, it is said, had threatened the life of James Long because he fancied the latter was responsible for him having lost his position.

"SIDE LINE" PROBLEM

Druggists Consider Extending Candy and Soda Water Business.

Bay City, Mich., July 30.—The Michigan State Pharmaceutical Association at its annual convention here today gave especial attention to the promotion of "side lines" and different ways and methods of extending and enlarging the candy and soda water business in competition with the confectioners.

PURSES FOOT UP \$15,000

Great Western Circuit Opens at Decatur, Ill.

Decatur, Ill., July 30.—The Great Western circuit will hold their first events here this afternoon. Purses aggregating \$15,000 are offered.

Fellows in Misfortune.

"Well," growled the first man at the five o'clock tea, "if it were not for my wife I wouldn't be here." "No, hang it! and neither would I if it were not for my wife. I'm the hostess' husband." —Philadelphia Press.

L. C. SNELL, Dermatologist and Chiropodist. Hair loss restored or money refunded. Bell 'phone 320.

OBJECTION IS SERIOUS

(Continued from Page 1.)

the opening of West Second street remarked this morning: "At the time, I thought the council could open the road without destroying the lake, but I guess they can't."

One of the city councilmen was seen by a representative of this paper, and although he refused to be interviewed he seemed greatly against abolishing the lake. "I have talked to many people about the matter," said he, "and nine-tenths of them are heartily opposed to the action."

Ladies, Too, Object.

Mrs. Frank Monroe—I want to be placed on record as against the unwise policy of taking away the only lake in all Sedalia. It ought to remain, if only for the children.

Mrs. C. C. Evans—I think it a shame and outrage that what could be made the most attractive feature of our only park should be ruthlessly destroyed. Every other city in the country is trying for just what we possess, and it really seems sad that we should not take advantage of the opportunity to make our park what it should be—a beautiful resting place—but without a lake no park reaches its greatest attractiveness. Save the lake for us all, but save it especially for the little ones.

A FAREWELL RECEPTION

Was Given by Mrs. J. M. Offield at Her Home Last Night.

The teachers of the Offield School of Expression, ten in number, were delightfully entertained by their efficient director, Mrs. J. M. Offield, at her home on West Seventh street last night, the affair being a farewell reception, as Mrs. Offield leaves soon for Muskogee, I. T., to reside.

Various games were played, and Dr. Hubbard rendered a vocal selection, while Misses Virgie Dempsey and Ruth Martin each rendered a number on the piano.

Late in the evening an elegant supper was served, after which the guests returned home, voting many thanks to the charming hostess.

Those who attended are: Misses Virgie Dempsey, Ruth Martin, Gracie Baker, Lillie Brandt, Stella King, Messrs. Dr. Hubbard, John Dow, Ben Clay, H. E. Wood, Edward Sauer, Mr. and Mrs. Offield.

On November 19, or about that date, the young ladies mentioned above will be entertained by Mrs. Offield at her home in Muskogee.

GRAFTERS ON THE GRIDDLE

An Important Hearing Resumed at Lockport, N. Y.

Lockport, N. Y., July 30.—The hearing was resumed today in the matter of the confession of Alderman Fredericks, who confessed that Alderman-at-Large McGlynn gave him \$500 in crisp new bills for his aid in securing the \$340,000 contract for the Niagara pipe line water supply.

When McGlynn heard, after repeatedly refusing to pay the full amount he had agreed to, that Fredericks was going to testify to the facts he offered everything he had to Fredericks to save him, but Fredericks refused to accept, saying that he wanted to make a clean breast of it all before he died, and that he only agreed to accept the money because he at the time thought he might prolong his life by doing so and using it to go to another climate for the benefit of his health, as he was suffering from tuberculosis.

AGAINST POWDER TRUSTS

U. S. Government Goes After Corporations as Well as Individuals.

Wilmington, Del., July 30.—The United States authorities today filed a petition in the federal court against the Dupont-DeNemours Powder Co. and twenty-four other corporations and seventeen individuals, charging a violation of the Sherman anti-trust act.

The petition seeks to restrain the alleged illegal combinations, and to dissolve the existing monopolies.

\$400 for Selling Liquor Illegally.

John Murphy was tried Monday before Squire Chapman at Windsor, for selling beer and whisky without license, and was fined \$200 and costs, which will increase the amount to near \$400. The prosecuting attorney of Henry county conducted the case. An appeal was taken to the circuit court.

Bad sick headaches, biliousness or constipation are quickly relieved by DeWitt's Little Early Risers. Small pill, sure pill, safe pill—prompt and pleasant in action. Sold by the Arlington Pharmacy.

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Sedalia Auction House

Sedalia Auction House will be open for business July 27 from 10 a. m. to 5 p. m. at 205 West Main street, Bell 'phone 933. Hieronymus, Auctioneer WM. ARENSON, Prop.

Sharp Says: All he asks of a customer buying a piano is that he show as good horse sense as when buying a hog or a critter for his herd; then pedigree counts, blood tells, and the registry talks. Sharp's pianos have reputation. The World's Exposition Records at Paris, 1900, and St. Louis, 1904, has his pianos on their register, way up with the best premiums and highest honors ever given to a musical instrument.

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People Drink it Because it's Good

TRY IT

Every Woman is interested and should know about the wonderful **MARVEL Whirling Spray**. The new Vaginal Spray. In fact, it gives full particulars and directions for use. It is a new discovery. **For Sale by W. E. BARD DRUG CO.**

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Warrensburg, Missouri.

ONE KILLED; ONE ESCAPED

Feather Bed of "Lightning-Proof" Construction Drew the Flash.

When asleep in bed at his home southwest of Muncie last night, Frank Hazelbaker, aged 10 years, son of George Hazelbaker, was instantly killed by lightning, says a Muncie, Ind., dispatch.

Hoping to lessen the danger from lightning, the senior Hazelbaker had constructed a bed for use during the storm seasons. Two sons were occupying it last night in the absence of the parents. The bed was in the form of a pallet on the floor with specially prepared feathers in the mattress.

However, the house was struck and the bolt of lightning went direct to the supposedly lightning-proof pallet, killing one boy. The other was unharmed. The house was destroyed by fire. Dan Hazelbaker, aged 14 years, dragged his dead brother from the building with great effort.

FIRE INTO EACH OTHER

The Men Emptied Their Revolvers and Dropped Over Dead.

In a desperate duel on Martin's Fork, Harlan county, Elihu Lee and Carlo Brummett killed each other, says a Middlesboro, Ky., dispatch. Brummett was an officer. The trouble arose over Brummett having arrested Dave Lee, brother of Elihu, a few days since.

The men met on the county road, and after quarreling a few minutes, opened fire on each other at short range. Each emptied his pistol into the other. Both men died 15 minutes later.

Lee was a brother of John Lee, the young Virginian who was killed by Kentucky officers last August when they invaded Lee county, Virginia, and captured Frank Ball. Lee was prominent and widely known.

TRAIN STRUCK A BUGGY

Killing Pitcher Slagle's Cousin and Another.

Erie passenger train No. 22, leaving this city one hour late, struck a buggy at a street crossing tonight, killing Frank Slagle, aged 28, a prominent onion grower, and Budd Cunningham, aged 48, a local horse trader, both married, says a Kenton, O., dispatch.

Slagle is a cousin to Walter Slagle, the Indianapolis pitcher of the American association, and this was his first trip to Kenton from McGuffey, after a hard summer's work in laying by a large plantation of onions on the Hardin county marsh.

Cunningham asked Slagle for a ride home, and would have got out of the buggy just across the railroad track where the men were killed.

Chief Boult Coming Home.

Relatives of Chief of Police W. H. Boult, who, with his wife and son, Wiley, is visiting at Los Angeles, Cal.

have received letters from him, stating that he and his family will leave either today or Thursday. If they leave today, they will reach home about August 4.

CHAUTAUQUA IN THE HOLE

Close of Assembly Shows That Receipts Did Not Pay Expenses.

The Chautauqua closed Saturday evening, and while the local management has suspected for some time that the receipts would not be sufficient to meet the expenses, they are certain of it now, but are not yet able to say just how much the deficit will be when all bills are in, says Monday's Parsons Sun.

Without several local bills, such as lumber, electric lights and advertising the deficit is about \$50, and other bills to come in will probably make the total deficit something like \$200.

The biggest item of cost was the talent employed, the entire program costing something like \$1,500, exclusive of their hotel and railroad bills and this will bring it up to \$2,000. Bryan was the prize ox of the intellectual fat stock show, and he received \$250 for his speech, while LaFollette received \$200. Senator Long did not charge anything for his speech.

WAS FALSE ALARM

Chautauqua Assembly at Boonville Did Not Suspend.

The report has been current on the streets for some days that the Boonville Chautauqua, held under Mr. Bartlett's management, has suspended, says Monday's Clinton Democrat.

This rumor is wholly without foundation. There was naturally some disappointment when Bryan's date was canceled on account of a missed railroad connection; but the Boonville papers reaching our desk indicate that people there have appreciated the Chautauqua and declare that it will be made a permanent thing in Boonville.

The Moberly and Monroe City Chautauquas proved financial failures and the programs were not completed. They were not held under Mr. Bartlett's management, but apparently by inexperienced promoters.

In Moberly the trouble was ascribed to lack of farmer patronage, and in Monroe City to a more extensive program than warranted by the patronage, the net loss being something like \$400 a day.

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For Infants and Children.

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REGARDING RAILROADS

THE M., K. & T. RAILWAY IS ACCUSED OF GIVING PASSES IN VIOLATION OF LAW.

COACH, CAB AND CABOOSE ITEMS

Matters of Interest Picked Up From Various Sources for the Benefit of Democrat-Sentinel Readers.

The interstate commerce commission at Washington yesterday ordered an investigation into the action of the Missouri, Kansas & Texas railway system, charged with issuing passes to men who go on bonds of officers of the road, in alleged violation of the railroad law.

In holding that the rate charged by the Southern railway on cotton shipped by the Warren Manufacturing Co., of Augusta, Ga., from that point to New York, was not unreasonable, the interstate commerce commission clearly defined its position on state's rights as follows:

The commission holds that the absorption of a competing line of railway by another, in alleged violation of the statutes of a state, is a matter within the control of the state courts and can be considered by this commission only in its ultimate results on reasonable rates.

Missouri Pacific New Time Card.

Time card No. 11, of the Missouri Pacific, was issued yesterday and went into effect at 8 o'clock this morning.

The only changes on this division are that westbound train No. 1, which has been arriving here at 2:50 p. m., will arrive at 2:30 hereafter and leave five minutes later.

Train No. 21, westbound, which has been arriving here at 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon, will hereafter arrive at 2:10 p. m., while train No. 2, eastbound, between Kansas City and St. Louis, will arrive here at 1:05 p. m. and leave five minutes later, instead of arriving at 1:10 p. m. and leaving at 1:15 o'clock.

Will Work at Sedalia.

Robert Noonan, and Dan Senate, two well known, Washash machinists, severed their connections with the old reliable Saturday evening and departed yesterday for Sedalia, where they have positions at their trade with the Missouri Pacific, says the Moberly Democrat.

They have both worked at Sedalia before and being well acquainted there they are sure to be satisfied with their new positions. We regret to see them leave our city, but wish them happiness and contentment at Sedalia.

Mishap on the Katy.

A broken journal on Katy freight train No. 401, in charge of Conductor Black, with Engineer Weer in the cab of the engine, delayed the train six hours at a point two miles north of Ladue at 5:30 o'clock last afternoon.

In consequence, train No. 4, due here at 8:05 p. m. arrived at 2:15 o'clock this morning.

Resumed Work Today.

George Webster, a street car conductor, resumed work on the East Sedalia line today, after visiting in Coiraide.

While in the Centennial state, George met Art Bahner, a Sedalia boy, who is now holding a good position as plumber at Denver, Colo.

He also met Clyde Heynen, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Heynen, of this city, at Denver.

New Style Sleeping Car.

The latest invention in a sleeping car, recently manufactured at the St. Charles, Mo., shops, was brought here on Katy train No. 3 this morning, to be taken to Texas.

The car belongs to the Texas Central railway and was in charge of Master Carbuilder Toomey. Instead of the berths being lowered from the top, they are raised from the bottom.

Katy's New Shops at Parsons.

Considering the short time which the new locomotive shops of the M., K. & T. have been completed ready for running there is a very large force at work there, says the Parsons Sun of Monday.

This morning one hundred and fifty men left their homes and went to work at the new shops.

Washout on River Route.

High water washed away a portion of the track near the bridge at Marion, Mo., a station on the river route about ten miles from Jefferson City,

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yesterday, and in consequence all river route trains were detoured via the main line last night.

Train No. 64 was run in seven sections in consequence.

Vacancy for a Brakeman.

Trainmaster Merrifield, of the Missouri Pacific, today advertised a vacancy as first extra conductor out of Sedalia to do first extra work.

The place will be assigned to the senior eligible applicant not later than August 9.

Missouri Pacific Rails Spread.

Missouri Pacific passenger train No. 4 was wrecked near Horace, Kas., yesterday by spreading rails and a soft track.

The engine and four coaches went into the ditch and several of the passengers were injured.

Hospital Arrivals.

Following are new arrivals at the Katy hospital:

Bud Dawson, coal heaver, Smithville, Texas.
C. S. Allen, brakeman, Smithville, Texas.
Jasson Sheffer, bridgeman, Osage, I. T.
Cap Smith, crusher laborer, Cherokee, I. T.
G. W. Norwood, fireman, Denison, Texas.
Mart Griffith, bridgeman, Cadillo, I. T.
George Hayes, bridgeman, Crowder City, I. T.
T. M. Grisson, bridgeman, Caddo, I. T.

Automatic Couplers.

J. T. Scott, a Missouri Pacific brakeman, is laying off, due to an injury.

Claim Agent W. L. McCutcheon, of the Katy, went to Boonville today on business.

W. T. Martin, a Missouri Pacific fireman, is off from work with malaria fever.

W. F. Murphy, a Missouri Pacific brakeman, is laying off on account of bronchitis.

C. H. Rockwell, traveling time-checker for the Katy, went to Hannibal today.

L. S. Eddins, railway accident insurance agent, and son, went to Boonville to visit.

Roadmaster J. M. Chandler, of the Missouri Pacific, went west on No. 37 this morning.

W. B. Shirk, Missouri Pacific commercial agent, went west on No. 27 this morning.

Tom Warren, Katy roadmaster, went north this morning to return on a special train.

Roy Bradford, a Katy switchman, and James Egan, also a Katy switchman, are laying off.

K. A. Easley, a Katy conductor, is laying off. Mike Boylan has the run on the north end.

C. S. Van Etten, a Missouri Pacific round house laborer, is off from work, with a contused foot.

Dr. Charles McNeill, of the Katy hospital staff, went to Ottumwa today to visit home folks.

C. G. Rogers, traveling freight agent for the Katy, returned this morning from Boonville.

A. M. Arnold, a Katy train auditor, running between Parsons and Kansas City, is a visitor here today.

A special train carrying Assistant General Manager A. A. Bethard and General Superintendent E. M. Alvord arrived here from St. Louis this forenoon.

M. B. Winegar, clerk in the Katy freight house at Hannibal, who has been visiting Fred Goodwin while receiving treatment at the Katy hospital, returned home this morning.

N. P. Kemp, special officer for the Missouri Pacific, went out on the Lexington branch at 5:15 o'clock this morning.

J. C. Jones, a Missouri Pacific shop-

man, had a splinter removed from his left hand at the Katy hospital yesterday.

J. P. Rodeman, traveling freight agent for the Missouri Pacific, is attending to company business on the river route.

Trainmaster W. E. Merrifield, of the Missouri Pacific, returned on No. 9 this morning from a business visit in St. Louis.

Harry Alcorn, formerly employed by the Katy here, is now braking for the Frisco in Indian territory, and has a good run.

Frank Kelly, a former Sedalian, now braking for the Katy out of Oklahoma City, Okla., is ill at the company hospital here with a gunshot wound in his chest, caused by being shot at Osage City recently by a negro who was lynched.

George E. Walker, the Missouri Pacific machinist, who left Saturday night for Hannibal to visit his wife, who is the guest of her sister there, returned home last night, but Mrs. Walker will remain for a more extended visit.

MISSOURI MAN IS FREED

AT MONTGOMERY CITY A PLEA OF GUILTY ENTERED TO MANSLAUGHTER.

WAS AN AUDRAIN COUNTY FARMER

The Case Was Taken to Montgomery City on a Change of Venue and Has Attracted Wide Interest Everywhere.

Montgomery, Mo., July 30.—James P. Edwards, the Audrain farmer and mine owner, charged with the murder of John Oldham, an Audrain mine operator, is free.

Oldham's widow had sued Edwards for damages and both cases were taken from Audrain county on a change of venue.

The damage suit was brought here and has been in progress for a week and the murder trial was taken to Warrenton and was set for next October.

By the compromise the widow gets \$4,250 and Edwards pleads guilty to manslaughter in the fourth degree. He was fined \$500. He will pay all costs.

The case has attracted much attention and many expert witnesses from different parts of the country were called here to testify as to whether the wound in the dead man showed that he was shot in the back.

Burford Wheeler swore that he had heard Oldham threaten to kill Edwards if he did not get more money out of him for operating his coal mine.

Edwards is the father of Prof. Crockett Edwards, principal of the Lincoln school in St. Louis.

Prof. Edwards, it is said, advised his father to pay the widow the cash and plead guilty to manslaughter.

WILL COST GANS \$2000

Darky Will Forfeit That Sum if He Doesn't Meet Jimmy Burns.

Los Angeles, Cal., July 30.—Both Manager Tom McCary and Jimmy Burns, with whom Joe Gans is matched to fight here, were very much surprised when shown the press dispatches from Frisco, which announced that Joe Gans and Battling Nelson had been signed up and that the match probably put an end to the Gans-Burns fight.

McCary and Burns both state that the will demand the \$2,000 forfeit which Gans has up, and which is in possession of Jim Jeffries, in case Selig abrogates the Gans-Burns agreement.

Burns put in a good day's work in his routine training stunt yesterday for the coming mill, and says he will continue to train until he and McCary hear personally from Selig and Gans.

THE REPORT WAS FALSE

Missouri Pacific Workmen Warned of Washout.

A telegram was received early yesterday morning by Roadmaster Stewart from the agent at Marshall, stating that a traveling man discovered a 300-foot washout on the river route just west of Marshall says Monday's Boonville Democrat.

The information also stated that the break was so bad that the track was twisted and the ties were standing on end on the side of the old dump.

Roadmaster Stewart was a very busy man for an hour, ordering section men all along the line between

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MOVING PICTURES WEDNESDAY NIGHT

this city and Myrick to report to special work trains hurrying to the scene from both directions and ordering cars of rock and cinders to repair the damage.

The two trains met six miles west of Marshall and reported to each other that they could not find the washout and that, instead, the tracks were in good condition.

After a few complimentary addresses to the life and health of the traveling man who first reported the matter, the train from the east backed down to Marshall to find him and demand an explanation.

It developed that the salesman was riding on a C. & A. train and in crossing above the Missouri Pacific saw the tops of the posts in the fence along the right of way protruding from the water and concluded they were railroad ties.

THE HUNGARIAN ORCHESTRA

Will Open the Lecture Course at First Christian Church Nov. 5.

The following is the list of attractions to be given in second lecture course:

- (1) Hungarian orchestra.
- (2) S. W. Gilliam, humorist.
- (3) Mrs. Lenora M. Lake, the great Catholic lecturer.
- (4) Trans-Continental Wrio.
- (5) Dr. Ernest Wray Oneal.
- (6) Dunbar male quartet.

This course will be one of the greatest the people of Sedalia have ever heard.

No Bail for Pettibone.

Boise, Idaho, July 30.—Judge Wood today denied the motion of Pettibone to be admitted to bail. The bond of Moyer will be ready this afternoon and he will be released.

BOQUET FOR "RED" DOWNS

He Has Played Ball in Sedalia Times Without Number.

And while the boquets are being tossed about one must not forget this red haired lad, Downs, says the Detroit News. They said last year when he got him from the bushes that he was breaking the back field fences out west with his extra base hitting. He's living up to his reputation with a vengeance. When he hits the ball it goes on a straight line way to the outfield. It's not to be expected that Jerry should be way up in the batting average, for he has not been in enough games, but he'll keep right on improving.

As for his fielding, Jerry is not as good as Schafer by a long shot, nor can he run bases as the Dutchman does, but as he says himself:

"I've been playing in the outfield so long that I've kind of gotten out of the infield habit."

He is one of the kind that admits he has lots to learn and he is willing to be told. There is no question but "Schaef" will go into the game as soon as his back is better, as there are few who can beat him for clear, quick thinking. But Jerry has shown what he can do, and his presence on the bench, even, will strengthen the team. It looks like a fight for position from now on. Jerry seems determined to land a regular berth somewhere on the team.

No Trace of Stolen Horses.

Up to the time the Democrat-Sentinel went to press, W. J. Crawford had heard nothing of the horses stolen from himself and W. J. Menefee Sunday night.

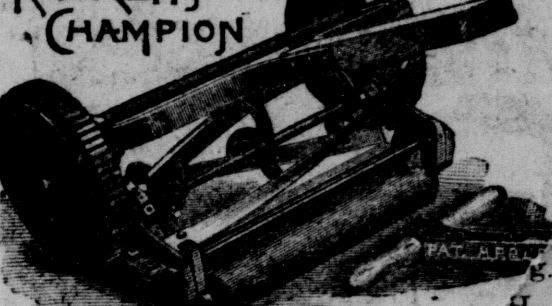
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